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No room is left
For poverty gaunt,
When joy can be had
Through a P.-D. "Want."

If you want to find gain
Right away,
Invest in a P.-D. "Want"
To-day.

SPANIARDS REPULSED AT MANILA.

Thirteen of Gen. Merritt's Soldiers Killed; 44 Wounded, 10 of Them Mortally.

THE SPANISH LOSS SAID TO BE 350 KILLED; 900 WOUNDED.

A General Advance on Manila Was Contemplated and the City Was Expected to Fall Probably by Next Thursday.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Gen Merritt has cabled the War Department a dispatch confirmatory of the press reports of the battle at Manila.

Secretary Alger regards the Manila fight as the beginning of the general attack on the Philippine capital, and there seems to be no doubt that the city will be in possession of the Americans before peace is declared.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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MANILA BAY, Aug. 4, by Steamship via Hong Kong, Aug. 9.—The soil of the Philippines has been stained with American blood. On the night of July 31 at 11 o'clock the Spaniards made a concerted sortie from Manila city on the outposts and trenches of Camp Dewey, near Malate, Gen. Greene commanding.

The attack was directed at the American right flank, held by the Tenth Pennsylvania troops. Ten men were killed in the trenches and picket lines and 44 wounded.

The dead:
MORRIS JUST, 1st California Volunteers.
W. E. BROWNE, Company D, 10th Pennsylvania.
WILL BUNTON,
H. STILLWAGON,
JAS. HULL, JR.,
JESSE NOSS,
All of Company E, 10th Pennsylvania.
JNO. BRADY, JR., Company I, 10th Pennsylvania.
L. DAWSON, Battery K, 3d Artillery, United States Army.
J. A. M'ILLRATH, Battery H, 3d Artillery, United States Army.
CHAS. WINFIELD.

Capt. Richter, 1st California, and Capt. Hobbs, 3d Artillery, are among the wounded.

The British Admiral reports the Spanish loss to be 350 killed, 900 wounded.

Malate is located half-way between Cavite and Manila city. Gen. Greene's force numbers 4000 men. His line has been advancing and intrenching. The arrival of the third expedition filled the Spaniards with rage and they determined to give battle before Camp Dewey could be reinforced. The trenches extended from the beach 300 yards to the left flank of the insurgents. Sunday was the insurgent feast day and their left flank withdrew, leaving the American right flank exposed.

Companies A and E of the 10th Pennsylvania and Utah battery were ordered to reinforce the right flank.

In the midst of a raging typhoon, with a tremendous downpour of rain, the enemy's force, estimated at 3000 men, attempted to surprise the camp. Our pickets were driven in and the trenches assaulted.

The brave Pennsylvania men never flinched, but stood their ground under a withering fire. The alarm spread and the 1st California Regiment, with two companies of the 3d Artillery, who fight with rifles, were sent up to reinforce the Pennsylvanians. The enemy were on top of the trenches when these reinforcements arrived, and never was the discipline of the regulars better demonstrated than by the work of the 3d Artillery under Capt. O'Hara. Nothing could be seen but flashes of Mauser rifles.

Men ran right up to the attacking Spaniards and mowed them down with regular volleys.

The Utah battery, under Capt. Young, covered itself with glory. The men pulled their guns through mud axle deep. Two guns were sent around in flank and poured in a destructive enfilading fire. The enemy was repulsed and retreated in disorder. Our infantry had exhausted its ammunition and did not follow the enemy.

Not an inch of ground was lost, but the scene in the trenches was one never to be forgotten.

During flashes of lightning the dead and wounded could be seen lying in blood-red water, but neither the elements of heaven nor the destructive power of man could wring a cry of protest from the wounded. They encouraged their comrades to fight and handed over their cartridge belts. During the night the Spanish scouts were carrying off dead and wounded of the enemy.

The American dead were buried next day in the Convent of Maracaban.

On the night of Aug. 1 the fighting was renewed, but the enemy had been taught a lesson and made an attack at long range with heavy artillery. The Utah battery replied and the artillery duel lasted an hour.

One man was killed. He was Fred Springster, 1st Colorado, and two men were wounded.

On the night of Aug. 2 the artillery duel was renewed.

Two men were badly wounded and are this morning reported dead, which brings the total dead to 13, with 10 in the hospital mortally hurt.

JOHN FAY,
Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

PREPARING TO ATTACK THURSDAY.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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MANILA BAY, Aug. 4, by Steamship to Hong Kong, Aug. 9.—The United States monitor Monterey arrived here to-day. Manila will fall as soon as the Monadnock comes here. She is expected by next Tuesday.

Admiral Dewey's ships are stripping for action.

Owing to the high wind and heavy seas the troops of the third expedition have not yet landed. Two lighters were capsized in the attempt, and three natives were drowned.

Immediately after the arrival of the expedition Gen. Merritt organized all his forces for an attack on Manila.

The troops were formed into one division under command of Gen. Anderson. The division is composed of two brigades; the 1st, under Gen. MacArthur, is made up of the 23d and 14th regular infantry, and the Wyoming, North Dakota, Idaho, Minnesota volunteers and the Astor Battery.

The 2d Brigade, under command of Gen. Greene, 18th regular infantry, 3d Artillery, engineers, Signal Corps and California, Colorado, Nebraska, Pennsylvania volunteers, Utah Battery.

The two brigades number 9000 men. Oregon troops garrison Cavite.

Admiral Dewey's fleet commands the trenches and camps of the Spaniards.

Unofficial news of peace proposals has been received here, but Gen. Merritt declined to express himself, though scores of the officers and commanders indorse the President's demands.

The situation in Manila is critical. The lights of the city are extinguished. All meats are exhausted. The defenses are a cordon of trenches, two batteries of nine 6-inch guns each, the latter on the Cavite side, the big guns directly in front.

JOHN FAY,
Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

BLAND WILL BE CHAIRMAN OF SPRINGFIELD CONVENTION.

Nicholas Griffin of St. Louis for Temporary Secretary.

REGARDED AS A VICTORY FOR JUDGE MARSHALL.

The Latter Feels Confident of the Nomination but the Valliant Men Are Working Industriously.

R. P. BLAND.

From a Staff Correspondent.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 9.—The meeting of the State Committee at 11 o'clock was prolonged beyond the noon hour and was full of surprises. It finally agreed upon Congressman Richard P. Bland for temporary chairman and Nicholas H. Griffin of St. Louis temporary secretary. This is a distinctive victory for Judge Marshall since both Bland and Griffin are avowedly favorable to his nomination. Moreover, as a member of the committee said, it is an assurance that with Bland in the chair the convention will not go too far in the direction of territorial expansion.

It is understood that Maj. Waddill was the thrown because of his unknown attitude on that subject, and Congressman Benton was defeated because he had the honor twice before.

Judge Marshall said before the committee adjourned: "I shall be nominated. My strength is sure and scattered all over the State. I am not liable to lose any of it, and I have a large number of delegates pledged to me who are not saying anything about it."

The additional officers named by the committee were Jeff Pollard of St. Louis for Reading Clerk and Rev. W. M. Prottsman of Jefferson City for Chaplain.

Special from a Post-Dispatch Staff Correspondent.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 9.—If organization counts for anything, the forces of Judge Marshall make the most imposing appearance at the dress parade preceding the State Democratic Convention, which meets in this city to-morrow. Nearly all the old campaigners, who have gone to conventions and controlled and influenced politics for 20 years, are with Marshall. The Valliant following is numerically large. Admitting the claims of both Valliant and Marshall, they are somewhere near even in the number of instructed delegates. After that everything depends on the organization and working power of the candidate and in that view Judge Marshall is so far the stronger.

"What we have to contend with," said a Marshall follower, "is not Valliant, but Stone. The ex-Governor is the best general in Missouri politics, but we'll get his scalp on this judgeship, because nearly every one of his old lieutenants is against him."

In addition to that fact Judge Valliant lacks personal magnetism. He does not know anybody, and the oftener he is introduced the surer he forgets. The judge entered the Metropolitan Hotel this morning alone. He went to breakfast unattended and ate in solemn silence. The Missouri candidate always moves about with a crowd. If he cannot dine with his friends he dies with his enemies. Solitarism is fatal in a Missouri convention.

Congressman Dockery, who is a candidate for Governor, and has no superior as a campaigner, walked into the Metropolitan breakfast room this morning with 20 men in his train. He knows the power of fraternization.

Ex-Governor Stone reached the city at 5 o'clock. He had been assigned to a conspicuous parlor room, but he at once escaped, bestowing himself in a quiet bed chamber and promptly retired, to the great disgust of the politicians who wanted to talk business with him.

BLAND IN MUCH DEMAND.

Congressman Bland, who was expected by everybody to arrive this morning, sent word he could not be here until night, a fact which constituted great disappointment as he is wanted for many weighty reasons. One of them is, he had been invited to make the speech to-morrow placing Judge Marshall in nomination, and his letters had indicated his desire to do so if his congressional delegation saw fit to release him from a promise to place G. Tom King of Callaway in nomination for Railroad Commissioner. His county friends bring the news this morning that Mr. Bland would be compelled, on account of obligations to Callaway County and Mr. King, to adhere to his original agreement. Callaway County, from whence Mr. King is a candidate, is for Marshall, but its Democrats insist on Bland appearing for King. They have agreed, however, to unite in a request to Mr. Bland to second the nomination of Judge Marshall, and a compromise will probably be effected.

The Railroad Commissioners fight is getting all tangled with the judgeship. The 95 delegates from St. Louis are as the apples of Eden to the hungry candidate. Col. Joe Mercer of Kansas City, who opened his headquarters this morning in the ladies' parlor of the Metropolitan with half a hundred shouting Kansas Cityans who want him nominated for Railroad Commissioner, hobnobs with every St. Louisan he can find. The Kansas City push line up at the bar with struggling friends of Marshall and wink and nod and smile as though the whole programme had been mapped out. But the old-timer is not deceived by it. Judge Marshall will get the Jackson County delegation if Col. Joe Mercer gets the St. Louis delegation. Back of that fact, however, is an ominous intimation on the part of Judge Cowgill that Col. Mercer is not the whole thing, even in his own delegation, and that Cowgill, who claims Kansas City as his home, will have something to say about what the Jackson County delegation does. That means that Cowgill proposes to vote as many Kansas City men as he can for Marshall, and he is a smart politician.

It is now almost apparent that if Judge Henry M. Ramey is not nominated for the long term for Supreme Judge, the short term will be his. The big delegation from the Northwest arrived this morning and crowded the hotels. They are men of influence, and with their appearance Ramey's stock went up 50 per cent. Judges Noah M. Given of Harrisonville and J. Wesley Halliburton of Carthage have each a small and respectable following. Judge Halliburton's strength is watched with more than ordinary interest, because the judge lives in Col. Bill Phelps' county of Jasper, and Col. Bill has a habit of landing whatever he goes after.

The Marshall forces received impulse this morning by the arrival of several St. Louisans, among them Jesse A. McDonald, who was influential in the judge's campaign in the city. Possibly the greatest power behind Judge Valliant is that of the Ex-Confederate Association, of which the judge has long been a director. It has been a quiet and very effective influence closely connected with the campaign of Col. Mercer for Railroad Commissioner, and accounts in large measure for Valliant's strength in the country, combined with a suspicion of the St. Louis candidate who comes to a State convention with St. Louis unanimously for him.

Col. Henry Newman, Secretary of the Ex-Confederate Society, arrived to-day and is quietly pushing forward the skirmish line for Valliant. The old soldier element is not yet dead or retired. In fact he appears a little stronger to-day than he has been in ten or fifteen years past. A fact which will inure again and still further to Judge Valliant's benefit.

QUESTION OF EXPANSION.

Considerable surprise was manifested here this morning when the party arrived with the news that the leaders were getting together on the foreign war policy. Congressman Dockery said:

"There is no use denying the fact that Bland and Stone have been squarely opposed to each other on this question. If they are together now, it is because Bland has either been misunderstood or has yielded. All my section of the State is unreservedly in favor of keeping Porto Rico, giving Cuba an independent Government and retaining at least a coaling station in the Philippines. They are opposed to acquiring territory in the Eastern Hemisphere."

Editor Bradshaw, who was quoted yesterday for Bland, said this morning:

"The published statement is substantially correct. As I understand Mr. Bland's position, he is opposed to annexation by force of arms. He is not opposed to annexing Cuba or any other territory contiguous to ours in the Western Hemisphere upon an expressed desire for annexation on the part of the country porposed to be annexed. If that is Stone's position, as I believe it is, then Bland and Stone are together and have never been apart."

Editor Bradshaw, by the way, and Editor J. H. Edwards of the Jefferson City Tribune will to-night be elected members of the State Committee from Bland's Congressional District.

AT MARSHALL'S HEADQUARTERS.

It was 9:30 o'clock when Judge Marshall's friends threw open his parlors at the Metropolitan. Shortly thereafter the Judge appeared and the ball opened in earnest. Those who had charge of the work during the morning were Gen. James M. Lewis, Paul Moore, Judge Henry L. Edmunds, Jesse A. McDonald, Ed O'Rear and Al Morrow, who busied themselves presenting delegations to Judge Marshall for personal interviews.

The Valliant supporters have their argument against Marshall well arranged. Nick Bell stated it in full when he said: "The county Democrats object to the manner in which the St. Louis primaries were conducted. They object to a man whose solid delegation indorsed the Ziegenhein administration and who were chosen through Hugh Brady. They want a Democrat for Supreme Judge."

Sam Cook said this morning that Audrain County and his people were solid for Valliant. But notwithstanding all this the Marshall fighters are not a bit frightened. They say the situation is not at all new and that they have known all along what they had to contend with. There is developing to-day a situation with respect to Railroad Commissioner which has brought J. B. Blakemore into prominence as a candidate. It is purely a geographical argument. The certainty of the nomination of a St. Louis man for long term for Supreme Judge and Henry M. Ramey for the short term and Prof. Carrington for State Superintendent of Schools make it necessary to nominate either a Southeasterner or Northeastern man for Railroad Commissioner. Blakemore, it is understood, will have the solid Southeast if O. L. Munger can be gotten out of the way, and with Auditor Seibert managing his campaign he seems to have quite a boom. Blakemore has been eight years Circuit Clerk of Dunklin County.

The Valliant headquarters were formally opened at 10 o'clock, with ex-Gov. Stone and Judge Daniel Dillon present. Ex-Gov. Stone said to the Post-Dispatch correspondent: "I hope it is true that there will be no differences over the platform. I did have a talk with Editor Bradshaw about the question of territorial acquisition, and I believe there are no material differences between Bland and myself."

Secretary of State Lesueur as a representative of the old ex-Confederate influence, declares that Valliant will be nominated without much of a fight. "There is no question about it in my mind," he said, "and I think I know the sentiment of Missouri Democracy about as well as anybody."

LITTLE SAID ABOUT STEPHENS.

There is not much serious talk about Gov. Stephens. He is represented here by nearly all his appointees and personal friends, but they have yet said nothing about an indorsement of the Governor in the platform. It is questionable whether they will do so. Much is expected of the St. Louis delegation in the way of befriending Gov. Stephens, and regret is expressed that they should waste a whole day before the battle traveling over the State when they are expected to be here.

Walter Vrooman's savage speech last night on the public square has had some effect upon those not familiar with St. Louis politics. Vrooman denounced Gov. Stephens, Hugh Brady, Judge Marshall and John O'Day in picturesque language and produced the stolen election booths of the

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SPAIN ACCEPTS, BUT ARGUES THE POINTS.

This Is the Unofficial Analysis of the Reply to the Peace Conditions Submitted by the United States.

THE DOCUMENT NOT YET IN THE PRESIDENT'S HANDS.

Ambassador Cambon Is Expected to Present the Document to McKinley Before the Day Closes.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—It is unofficially stated that Spain's reply is an acceptance of all the conditions laid down by the United States, but Spain presents elaborate views of each point involved and on questions which would naturally arise when the American conditions were carried into execution. Whether this will be considered satisfactory remains to be decided.

The official document was not delivered at the meeting of the Cabinet to-day. The last of it did not reach here until a late hour last night, and although the cipher experts worked until long after midnight there was still some deciphering to be done to-day.

In the meantime the Government had been informed that the reply had been received by the French Ambassador, but the contents of the reply or its general nature was not made known to a secretary or any other official of the Government. The plan was to present the communication later in the day and no doubt existed that by evening the Government would be in full possession of Spain's position.

The Cabinet adjourned at 12:35 without having received official word of the Spanish acceptance.

Some of the Madrid advices have suggested that the reply might bring a crisis on at least one point involved and lead to a sharp and immediate answer from this Government. From the best information obtainable here there is nothing to warrant the view that the reply contains any great surprise or any far-reaching conditions outside of those which have been the subject of general comment. It is probable that the circumstances under which the Spanish army will be withdrawn from Cuba will be one of the incidental points raised by Spain's answer, just as it was when Gen. Toral surrendered his forces at Santiago. The Spanish General, while conceding the vital point of surrender, was tenacious that there should be no undue humiliation of his forces, and he pleaded for the retention of arms and ammunition.

In the general evacuation of Cuba practically the same conditions arise on a larger scale. The American terms demanded simply the evacuation of Cuba, without specifying, so far as can be learned, how the Spanish forces would be treated when they evacuated, whether as prisoners of war, without arms, or with their arms and ammunition. It is probable that Spain seeks to be assured that her forces will depart with their equipment, arms and flags. Having yielded the main point of evacuating it is possible that the officials here may look upon it as reasonable that Spain should know what will become of her troops and their equipments. In this connection it is pointed out that a voluntary retirement from a country might naturally entitle the retiring forces to more consideration than those who retire after battle by surrender or otherwise. It is said that the usual military custom on voluntary retirement from a country, is for the retiring party to carry their arms and flags, and specific instances of this are cited in recent years.

The question of the Cuban debt, it was thought, might raise a serious issue, but while this is still possible the present indications are that this matter has not reached a direct, controversal issue, although it involves elements making an issue possible at a later stage. There are said to be precedents in international law by which the debt of an evacuated country continues as a charge upon the country. There are specific instances also of exceptions to this rule.

There is no present indication of an extra Cabinet meeting to consider the Spanish reply. It will be in the hands of the President and Secretary Day by to-night and they doubtless will go over the subject before calling it to the attention of the Cabinet. Up to midday no arrangement had been made for a call of a conference between the President and Ambassador Cambon. It may be that no formal conference will be held.

The Secretary of War has stopped the dispatch of further reinforcements to Porto Rico. This is regarded as an indication that peace is in sight.

Gen. Miles reported by cable this morning that the force at his command was ample for the purpose of completing the conquest of the island. This leaves all of Gen. Wade's provisional corps of eighteen regiments still in the United States. It is believed that all of Gen. Wilson's division, except the Third Kentucky and Fifth Illinois, have already sailed, and they will be allowed to proceed. The two regiments above named are at Newport News, and will be detained there until the department has arranged for their further detail.

THE CORTES ALONE HAS POWER TO CEDE TERRITORY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—A morning paper prints an article written by an ex-attache of a foreign embassy pointing out the fact that the Spanish Cabinet and the Queen Regent have no power to accede to the terms of peace proposed by the United States. He says:

"By Article 55 of the National Constitution, the Crown and Government are debarred from entering upon any negotiations entailing the surrender or exchange of any Spanish territory without having previously obtained a warrant or permission to do so by the National Cortes.

"Any negotiations that are entered upon by the Spanish Government and Crown without the consent of the Cortes, are, from a Spanish point of view, illegal, and may, as such, be repudiated by the Cabinet that takes the place of the Sagasta administration, or even by the Infanta Isabella, were she to take the place of Queen Christina as Regent. The entire negotiations might be repudiated by Spain even at the last moment, after the treaty of peace has been signed by the plenipotentiaries of both nations, unless the Spanish plenipotentiaries have been duly qualified, not alone by the Crown, but likewise by the Cortes, to treat in the name of Spain."

HER AGE WAS 117.

Death of Mrs. Fallon, Supposed to Be the Oldest Woman in America.

ITHACA, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Mrs. Margaret Fallon, who has just died at King's Ferry, Cayuga County, at the age of 117, is believed to have been the oldest person in America.

It has been found from the records that she was born in Lusfuth Parish, King's County, Ireland, in 1781.

She has been a widow 50 years and is survived by four sons and five daughters. The oldest daughter is 80 and the oldest son 75. She had two sons in the Civil War, one being in the Union and one in the Confederate army. The Confederate survived the war; the other died in Libby Prison.

QUEER BUG IN HER EAR.

Miss Louisa Winters Was Tortured by a "Thousand Legger."

Louisa Winters of 1416 North Ninth street went to the City Dispensary Monday night with blood flowing from her ear. She said she first felt pain early in the evening and it had been growing worse every minute.

Dr. Newcomb made a survey and found an insect commonly called a thousand-legger in her ear, boring cheerfully toward the other side.

SICK SPANISH PRISONERS.

The First Consignment From Santiago Sails To-Day.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The following dispatch has been received here:

Santiago, via Hayti, Aug. 9.—Adjutant-General, Washington:

Alicante is now being loaded with Spanish sick. It is to carry 1000. They will be loaded and the ship will leave this afternoon or early in the morning.

SHAFTER, Major-General.

THE WEATHER FORECAST.

SHOWERS TO-NIGHT; FAIR WEDNESDAY.

For St. Louis and vicinity—Showers Tuesday night; Wednesday fair; little change in temperature.

For Missouri—Showers in southeast portion to-night; Wednesday fair, except showers in extreme southeast portion.

For Illinois—Partly cloudy Tuesday night and Wednesday, with showers in south and central portions.

POST-DISPATCH THERMOMETER.

7 a. m.	68	12 m.	81
8 a. m.	69	1 p. m.	82
9 a. m.	75	2 p. m.	81
10 a. m.	78	3 p. m.	81
11 a. m.	80		

NEWSPAPERS FEAR FRICTION.

The Madrid Press Sees Obstacles in the Way of Immediate Peace.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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MADRID, Aug. 9.—Serious difficulties in the way of making peace are predicted by the Madrid newspapers.

To begin with, the reservations and the objections in the Spanish note forwarded to Washington may cause President McKinley, they say, to demur the Madrid's Government answer to the American conditions.

In the second place, they believe that obstacles will arise in case the two governments agree that the Congress of the United States and the Cortes of Spain shall be convoked immediately to pass upon the basis for a treaty.

Lastly, the newspapers here foresee trouble in the negotiations for the settlement of the Philippine question, if America, too openly proclaims an intention to exercise even a virtual protectorate over the islands or to have trade advantage there, which the European powers would resist or else demand compensation for in territory.

The press also affects to fear Carlist intrigues, if no worse although it has leaked out that the Pretender cannot raise money enough to pay the expense of a serious uprising.

But Premier Sagasta laughs at all the fears of the opposition, professing to be confident that he will get a satisfactory reply from Washington and that hostilities will cease before the end of this week.

Then he will appoint peace commissioners to carry on negotiations with American commissioners for a definitive treaty of peace.

Taking into account the probable duration of these negotiations, it is not thought likely in Government quarters here that it will be necessary to convoke the Cortes before the end of September.

By that time, it is assumed, both governments may be in a position to submit to their respective congresses for ratification a full, complete treaty and to renew diplomatic relations.

The Spaniards are anxious to know if the suspension of hostilities will raise the blockades and permit the resuming of mail, telegraph and other communication with Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

Anxiety is caused by the impending return to Spain from Santiago of 22,000 soldiers infected with yellow fever and other diseases. Extensive sanitary precautions are being taken, but Spain has not enough lazarettos (special hospitals) for such an emergency.

It is expected here that the two governments will so arrange the evacuation of Cuba and Porto Rico that the majority of the Spanish forces there will not be sent home until after the end of the unhealthy season in the West Indies—in October.

PAID IN NEW BILLS.

Soldiers at Chickamauga Are Reviewed and Paid To-Day.

CHICKAMAUGA, Aug. 9.—At 9:30 o'clock on Snodgrass Hill Gen. Breckinridge reviewed the greater part of the army encamped at Chickamauga Park. The review was a very imposing one, over 25,000 men being in line. The review was witnessed by a large assemblage of citizens.

The paymasters are now progressing rapidly with their work. They had thousands of sheets of pay rolls to look over, each sheet in addition to giving the names of the men and time of service of each, containing numerous explanations. The men are all paid in currency, except such cases as may be necessary to make change. The bills are all new, having never been folded or even folded.

PROMISED TO HAVE A HANGING.

Sheriff Jackson Had to Do It to Save Mrs. J. T. Orr.

ALL IMPLICATED HAVE CONFESSED.

THE PLOT TO DO MURDER HAS BEEN BREWING FOR OVER TWO MONTHS.

A LYNCHING IS STILL IMMINENT.

Sensational Developments in the Orr Murder and Assassination Case at Clarendon, Ark.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CLARENDON, Ark., Aug. 9.—The fact that Judge Thomas will specially convene the Circuit Court to-morrow and the Sheriff promises a legal execution by Friday may deter the outraged citizens from wreaking summary vengeance.

Since the arrest of Mrs. John T. Orr and several negroes charged with complicity in the murder of John T. Orr last Saturday many important facts have developed.

Mr. Orr was shot through a window and instantly killed. No clew could be found to the murderer but the Sheriff was very busy for a short time. He found several negroes who said Mrs. Orr had offered them money to kill her husband. The Sheriff acted promptly and arrested Mrs. Orr and five negroes.

One of these named Castle said Mrs. Orr had promised him $200 if he would kill her husband for her. Castle said he did not do the deed but furnished the shotgun with which another negro, Will Sanders, did the killing.

Mrs. Orr, after being in jail for some time, confessed that she had procured the commission of the murder because she could live with her husband no longer on account of his cruelty to her.

The Coroner's jury returned a verdict of death at the hands of Will Sanders, and that Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Morris, a young Jewess who was a chum of Mrs. Orr, Mance Castle, Will Weaver, Dennis Riccord and Susan Jones were accessories.

There was a story afloat that Mrs. Orr had taken a dose of morphine and was very low, but it could not be positively learned whether this was true or not.

A strong guard is on duty at the jail to prevent a lynching.

Prosecuting Attorney George M. Chapline left Lonoke for Clarendon this morning to consult with Circuit Judge Thomas. A special term of the Monroe Circuit Court will be called at once to indict and try the defendants, unless this is done a wholesale lynching will surely take place within the next 24 hours. Mrs. Orr, wife of the dead man, is being heavily guarded at the jail, and Sheriff Jackson feels confident that she will escape the mob even if an attempt is made to take her from the officers. Another meeting of citizens is called for this afternoon.

The schemes to get Orr out of the way have been in progress for more than two months. The Riccord negro endeavored to "hoodoo" him and "conjure" him, but failed because he "carried too much silver in his pocket." Then Riccord caught snakes and boiled their heads and Orr's wife emptied the stuff in his coffee, but he always threw it up.

DEATH OF WILLIAM E. BURR

Ore of St. Louis' Oldest and Best Known Financiers Passes Away.

William E. Burr, president of the Carterville Coal Co., and one of the oldest residents of St. Louis, died Monday evening at his home, 3412 Morgan street, after an illness of several months.

He leaves a widow, three daughters, all of whom are married, and one son, Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Burr of the Second United States Engineers, regular army. Col. Burr will arrive from Santiago, where he has been stationed, within a few days. The grandchildren number 18.

William E. Burr was conspicuously identified with the mercantile and financial interests of St. Louis. He organized the St. Louis Clearing-house Association 30 years ago and was the first president of the commercial organization. He was 69 years old. He was born in Paris, Ky., and came to Missouri in 1856. He located in Boonville, where he was appointed cashier of the State Bank.

Four years later he removed to St. Louis to accept the presidency of the Bank of St. Louis, which was subsequently reorganized when the national banking law became effective and its name changed to the St. Louis National Bank. Mr. Burr was elected president of the institution and remained at its head for 27 years. Upon his resignation he associated with others in various financial enterprises and at his death held a controlling interest in the Cartersville Coal Co.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed.

TATTOOED FROM HEAD TO FOOT

Death of John Kirby, a Victim of Morphine.

An appetite for morphine and the satisfying of that appetite sent John Kirby to the City Hospital, a hopeless wreck, Monday evening, and sent him out again Tuesday morning, a corpse. Kirby died shortly before daylight.

He was picked up unconscious in front of 913 Morgan street, Monday evening. When examined at the hospital his body was found to be tattooed from head to foot, almost, with scars left by the hypodermic needle. He also took the drug internally. It was his food and he ate it like a hungry working man eats meat. Until Kirby became a wreck of a wreck to work, he was a bookbinder and worked in numerous St. Louis establishments, as well as in several other Western cities. He was 28 years old, and he left any relatives in St. Louis the hospital authorities are not aware of it.

NEW POSTMASTERS.

List of Appointments Made by the President To-Day.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The appointments by the President of the following postmasters was announced to-day:

Illinois—Belleville, J. E. Thomas; Pecatonica, Nate Colby; Rushville, John A. Harvey; Shawneetown, Henry H. Peeples; Waverly, James H. Joy; Winchester, Earl Miller.

Iowa—Hartley, J. E. Wheelock.

Missouri—Rich Hill, John K. Martin.

Oklahoma—Shawnee, Frank P. Stearns.

Texas—Brownsville, Adolph Ashelm; San Saba, Owen Ford; Seguin, Carrie B. Yoakum, John M. Clark.

NO CHARM IN LIFE

CORINNE HALL HAS DETERMINED TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

UNSUCCESSFUL THREE TIMES.

She Avers That as Soon as She Is Released From the Hospital She Will Try It Again.

After three unsuccessful attempts to kill heiself Corinne Hall, a widow who once had a good home, grasped the iron bars of a City Hospital cell Tuesday morning and begged onlookers to release her so she could make another attempt at self-destruction.

An attendant passed along with a small knife in his hand, the blade being open.

"Give me that knife," cried the frantic woman.

The Hall woman was picked up on the streets by a policeman Monday night. She was partially unconscious and it was at once noticeable that she had taken some

CORINNE HALL.

kind of poison. She was hurried to the City Hospital, where it was learned that she had a quantity of laudunum in her stomach.

She was pumped out and placed in a cell because she was violent after the passing of the drug's effects, and could not be allowed in a ward with other patients. She will be released soon, as she is now considered out of danger.

In answer to a query as to why she is so persistent in wanting to die the woman said:

"What's the use of living any longer. I am poor, and with only one hand I am unable to work with any degree of success. I will try it again and will keep on until I have ended my troubles in death."

Corinne Hall is 34 years old and would be good-looking but for the imprint of dissipation left upon her face. Prior to the death of her husband a few years ago, she was a respectable woman. After his demise she contracted the morphine habit. She has worked as a servant in various West End families since she became a widow. The missing hand she speaks of was crushed off about a year ago, while she was employed in the laundry at the Baptist Sanitarium. Her hand became entangled between the heavy rollers and it was crushed so that amputation was necessary. After that the morphine habit became worse. She is now practically homeless and the chances are that her body will be in the Morgue before many weeks.

BLAND WILL BE CHAIRMAN OF SPRINGFIELD CONVENTION.

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Twenty-sixth Ward as evidence of the corruption and treachery rampant in St. Louis. The State Democratic Committee will hold a meeting to-day to perfect the temporary organization of the convention.

It was understood last night that Congressman M. E. Benton would probably be named without opposition as temporary chairman. This morning there is more talk of ex-Congressman James R. Waddill of Springfield than there is of Benton, a fact due to the influence upon the committee of Secretary Tom Love, who wants to distribute a few political honors in his own town. Maj. Waddill was for a while a candidate for Governor against Stephens two years ago, but retired before the campaign had proceeded far. He is a good speaker and would make a good chairman.

It is beginning to be apparent also that the convention is liable to be organized by the Valliant influence.

CAUCUS ON THE TRAIN.

Tony Steuver's Special Is Not Overcrowded and Much Woodsawing Is Going On.

Special by Staff Correspondent on Board Convention Special Train.

ST. CHARLES, Mo., Aug. 9, M., K. & T. Depot.—So many St. Louis delegates are not on the Steuver train that the members of the State Committee cannot be selected on board. Many delegates decided to go to Springfield yesterday.

Ben Brady and Wm. J. Flynn will be the committeemen for the Twelfth District. Flynn succeeding Dr. Otto Forster, who it is understood gave up the fight yesterday.

Tom Barrett will succeed himself on the committee for the Eleventh District. It is thought Thomas Ward will win over Charles P. Higgins, but the fight is close. Henry Quellmalz will succeed himself in the Tenth District. Jas. Hereford of Ferguson will probably succeed Fred Seeberg, who retires voluntarily. No opposition to Hereford has developed.

All proxies being powers of attorney, it is thought they will require 10-cent revenue stamps, and those which do not bear them may be illegal. This may cause trouble. There are only about 150 persons on the train, and everybody is having a comfortable time. Two negro quartettes are furnishing the music, and there are five bartenders and eight waiters, all fairly busy.

TERMS AGREED UPON.

Stephens to Be Indorsed and Stone's Expansion Policy Approved.

Special by Staff Correspondent on Board Special Convention Train.

M'KITTRICK, Mo., Aug. 9.—Detectives Zeigler, Brady and Guion of Chief Desmond's staff are on the train. A. J. Roberts started a crap game when the train was hardly half an hour out of St. Louis, but the detectives swooped down on him and stopped it. At St. Charles Eugene Augert, the youngest delegate in the convention, and Mr. Birch, two of the five St. Charles County delegation, boarded the train. Gov. Stone's friends say he will certainly be at the convention, prepared to make the fight of his life for the expansion policy.

A deal is said to have been fixed up between him and the Stephens-Bland-Farris crowd, who were scared by the action of Texas Democrats, by which Stone's following is not to oppose a personal indorsement of Stephens and the Stephens people are not to oppose the Stone platform. It is now stated on good authority that Gov. Stephens wrote the Cuban plank of the Jefferson Club's declaration, which is the basis of the Stone expansion policy. Harry Hawes of St. Louis, who is close to Gov. Stone and an enthusiastic expansionist, expects to be on the Resolutions Committee for the Eleventh District.

Rev. J. H. Johnston of the Delmar Avenue Baptist Church is on the train. He wandered disconsolately from one sleeper to another and finally found refuge in a deserted stateroom as far from the bar as he could get. He was asked how it happened that he was on the train. "Now, boys, don't say anything about me being on the train," he said pleadingly. "You know my flock thinks I am up North on my vacation, and as most of them are Republicans I wouldn't like them to know I was on this train among all these Democrats. I was in St. Louis and was invited to travel on this train by some of my friends. You know I used to be at Jefferson City and know Gov. Stephens very well. I will go to Hartsburg and if I meet a certain man there I will go on to Springfield, but now, boys, please leave me out. Really, my flock will think it very queer."

MEMORY OF COL. BROADHEAD.

St. Louis Bar Convenes to Take Fitting Action on His Death.

The special meeting of the St. Louis Bar, called in honor of the late James O. Broadhead, convened in courtroom No. 4 at the Courthouse Tuesday morning. D. P. Dyer was chosen chairman of the meeting and Heber W. Adams was made secretary.

A committee composed of H. T. Kent, Truman Post, Fred Lehman, James Blair, John W. Noble, Herman Haeussler, John W. Overall, O. R. Taylor and M. L. Gray were appointed to prepare fitting resolutions upon the death of Col. Broadhead. The gentlemen requested time for their duty and they were given until the call of the chairman, at which meeting the resolutions will be presented. Many tender tributes were paid the dead lawyer and the meeting was well attended by prominent citizens as well as attorneys.

Among the speakers were Judge George W. Anderson, Gen. George H. Shields, Dr. Julian Bates, Silas B. Jones, George Black, Truman Post and H. T. Kent.

In his eulogy Mr. Kent said: "The death of a great man is always an irreparable loss, but Col. Broadhead, besides being a great man, was one of the last links that connects us with a great past."

The meeting passed a resolution to attend the funeral service in a body.

CHOICE WOULD BE HANGING.

Eugene Gregory Will Go to the Workhouse for Stealing a Cake of Soap.

Eugene M. Gregory was charged with petit larceny in the Court of Criminal Correction Tuesday. He pleaded guilty to having taken a cake of toilet soap from a drug store at Sixth street and Franklin avenue.

Judge Murphy thought 60 days in the workhouse would offset the offense. Gregory thought it would more than do so.

"Why, Judge," the prisoner said, "I would rather be hanged than go to the workhouse again. I've been there, and I know what it is."

"The law won't let me change the sentence in accordance with your wish," was the court's reply. "Then this court does not punish people by assigning them pleasant tasks. The court's decision will stand."

JONATHAN NESBITT DEAD.

He Was Live Stock Agent for the Chicago & Alton Railroad.

Jonathan Nesbitt, general live stock agent for the Chicago & Alton Railroad, died suddenly at his residence, 2923 Dayton street, Monday night. He was a constant sufferer from neuralgia of the heart, which malady caused his demise.

Mr. Nesbitt's family, consisting of his wife and one son, were with him when the end came. He was about 65 years old, was widely known in railroad and commercial circles. He had been connected with the Alton road since 1861 and was always noted for his faithfulness and attention to duty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

William J. Hegiveln ..... 4215A Margaretta av
Lillian A. Cade ..... 3715 N. 25th st
William F. Heyde ..... 2918 Rutger st
Cora C. Daues ..... 240 S. Beaumont st

WIFE SLEPT IN A BATH TUB.

Mrs. F. J. Steger Caused Her Husband's Arrest.

SAYS SHE FEARS FOR HER LIFE.

MR. STEGER IS A WELL-TO-DO MERCHANT OF EAST ST. LOUIS.

DENIES THAT HE MEANT ANY HARM.

A Family Trouble on the East Side That Causes Much Comment to Be Aired in a Justice Court Friday.

F. J. Steger, a leading East Side merchant, was arrested at his store at 8 o'clock this morning, charged with threatening the life of his wife, Ida May Steger.

Mrs. Steger swore out the warrant in Justice Driscoll's court and Constable Cantillon served it.

Steger was arraigned in the justice court and was granted a continuance until 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. The prisoner gave bond for his appearance in the sum of $200 with F. G. Turner as surety.

Mrs. Steger alleges that her husband not only threatened her life last Sunday night, but that he followed up the threat by cutting at her throat with a razor. She says she would have been killed but that she knocked the weapon from his hand.

The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Steger occurred in St. Joseph, Mo., fourteen years ago. She says they have been unhappy ever since. She would have applied for a divorce long ago, she says, but her mother, who lives at Cuba, Mo., objected. In relating her troubles Tuesday Mrs. Steger said:

"I have slept in our bath tub two nights because Mr. Steger locked me out of my bed. Last night, in my desperation resulting of the drug's effects, and could not be allowed in a ward with other patients. She will be released soon, as she is now considered out of danger.

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GEN. MERRITT'S LATEST REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The War Department to-day received the following cablegram from Hong Kong:

Adjutant-General, Washington:

MacArthur's troops arrived 31st. No epidemic sickness. Five deaths. Lieut. Kerr, engineer, died of spinal meningitis. Landing at camp delayed on account of high surf. To gain approach to city Green's outposts were advanced to continue line from the Camino Real to Beach on Sunday night. Spanish attacked sharply. Artillery outposts behaved well; held position. Necessary to call out brigade. Spanish loss rumored heavy.

Our loss killed: Tenth Pennsylvania, John Brady and Walter Brown; Infantry, William E. Brinton, Jacob Hull, Jesse Noss, William Stillwagon; First California, Maurice Just; Third Artillery, Eli Dawson; First Colorado, Fred Springslead.

Seriously wounded: Tenth Pennsylvania, Sergt. Alva Walter; Privates Lee Snyder, Victor Holmes, C. S. Carter, Arthur Johnson; First California, Capt. R. Richter; Private C. J. Edwards; Third Artillery, Privates Charles Windield, J. A. McElroth. Thirty-eight slightly wounded.

MERRITT.

SEVEN DIED ON THE VOYAGE.

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MANILA BAY, Aug. 4.—By Steamship to Hong Kong, Aug. 9.—The third Manila expedition anchored off Cavite on July 31, after an eventful voyage of 22 days from Honolulu. Seven men met death on the way and 50 sick men were taken from the transports to the general hospital. The serious cases are typhoid meningitis. Two of the dead were firemen on the Ohio. They became insane from heat and leaped overboard.

The dead at sea:

Jno. Stockvill, a fireman, of San Francisco, died on July 4.
Stephen Boddy, 23d Infantry, of Dallas, Tex., on July 14.
W. D. Kelly, a fireman, of San Francisco, on July 19.
Ralph Powers, of the Signal Corps, of Los Angeles, on July 20.
R. D. Kerr, Lieutenant of Engineers, of Charleston, July 21.
Ernest Bowker, of the Wyoming Battalion, on July 26.
Frederick Buckland, Thirteenth Minnesota, of St. Paul.

JOHN FAY,
Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

GEN. GREENE THANKS HIS TROOPS.

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HEADQUARTERS AMERICAN ARMY, BEFORE MANILA, Aug. 4, via Hong Kong, Aug. 9.—Gen. Greene has issued this address to his troops:

"Camp Dewey, near Manila—The Brigadier-General commanding desires to thank the troops engaged last night for gallantry and skill displayed by them in repelling such a vigorous attack by largely superior forces of Spaniards. Not an inch of ground was yielded by the 10th Pennsylvania Infantry and Utah Artillery, stationed in the trenches. A battalion of the 3d Artillery and 1st Regiment, California infantry, moved forward to their support through a galling fire with the utmost intrepidity. The courage and steadiness shown by all in their first engagement is worthy of the highest commendation."

TWO NEGROES LYNCHED IN THE SOUTH.

RICHARD THURMOND CAUGHT AT RIPLEY, MISS., STRUNG UP AND SHOT.

RIPLEY, Miss., Aug. 9.—Richard Thurmond, a young negro, was lynched here yesterday by a mob of citizens for attempting to assault Miss Hines, the daughter of a prominent citizen. The negro had entered her room when her father was attracted by her cries and ran to the rescue. He shot at the negro, who fled to the woods. A posse was immediately formed and the negro was chased for a long distance before he was captured. He was captured near Middleton, Tenn., and put on a special train. He confessed his guilt, and when the scene of his crime was reached he was strung up and filled full of lead.

JOHN MEADOWS HANGED TO A TREE WHICH HAD DONE SERVICE BEFORE.

GRIFFIN, Ga., Aug. 9.—John Meadows, a negro, was hanged to a tree by a mob of 200 men last night, and left hanging to the same limb that had done the same duty a short time ago for a negro named Williams.

Meadows was out in a field when the 7-year-old daughter of James Benson passed by. Meadows caught the child, who screamed loudly for help. Her mother appeared in time to frighten Meadows away. The negro was chased from Merriwether County to the place where the officers captured him and locked him in jail. The mob took him away from the Sheriff and strung him up without ceremony.

WEDNESDAY'S BULLETIN OF BARGAINS AT..

CRAWFORD'S GREAT REMOVAL SALE.

WEDNESDAY'S CROWD BRINGERS

To the Second Floor.

Shirt Waists—All styles that sold formerly at 75c—now 19c

Shirt Waists—All styles that sold formerly at $1.00—are now 39c

Shirt Waists—All styles that sold formerly at $1.25—are now 49c

Dressing Sacques—In white with tucks, embroidery and Inserting, some in colors, also all sizes, sold formerly at 98c and $1.25—now 49c

Jackets—In Tan, All-Wool Covert, satin lined, strap seamed, were $5.00, now $2.95

Lawn Suits—In light and dark colors, always sold for $3.75 to $6.00—now $2.95

Cloth Suits—In All-Wool Fabrics, those we formerly sold at $7.50 are now $3.25—the $9.00 grade is $4.95 and the $10.00 and $12.50 goods are $6.48

Silk Waists—That we formerly sold at $4.50 to $6.00 are going rapidly in this sale at $2.25

Wednesday WASH GOODS. Av. B. Bargaining

150 pieces Fine Batiste, in light grounds, floral designs, regular 7½c quality, for 3½c

200 pieces China Blue Prints, all new patterns with white and blue figures, the very nicest thing for house wrappers, a quality worth 7½c, will close out the line at 4c

500 pieces yard-wide Percale, in all the newest patterns, and in such combinations of colors as blue and yellow, red and white, black and white and blue and white, regular 10c quality; all go at 7½c

All our extra fine Zephyr Dress Ginghams, in 17½c and 20c quality, 30 and 32 inches wide, all nice patterns, plaids, stripes and checks; all will be closed out at 10c

85 pieces Ahnora Madras, extra fine quality, in blue and pink block checks, fast color, makes a lovely shirt waist, a quality that has been bringing 15c a yard; now going at 10c

Something that you will soon need—buy while you can get Comfort Calicoes that are really worth 7½c a yard, at 5c

D. CRAWFORD & CO.
"St. Louis' Greatest Store."

THAT SHOE SALE

The Greatest of Our History! Shoe Department is removed to Av. B. $25,000 worth of High-Class Shoes, Oxford Ties and Slippers, for Ladies, Misses and Children, go at 42½c on the Dollar!

LOT 1 Consists of 1200 pairs of Ladies' Dress and Walking Boots, tan and black, most fashionable design and shapes; many worth $4.50 and $5—none less than $3.50. Choice will be sold at, per pair $1.87

LOT 2 Consists of 1000 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords, black and tan, new coin toes, latest styles; actual value $2.50 and $2.75. Choice will be sold at, per pair $1.37

LOT 3 Consists of 4000 pairs of Ladies' Oxford Ties, hand turned, blacks and tans—also choice selections in Colored and White Satin Evening Slippers (sizes up to 4—A and B widths); many pairs well worth $3 and $3.50. Choice will be sold at, per pair 97c

LOT 4 Consists of 500 pairs of Boys' and Girls' Shoes, tan and black, strong and durable, best materials—3 pairs for the price of 1 pair. As long as they last at, pair 89c

LOT 5 Consists of 400 pairs Misses' and Children's Tan, Lace and Button Shoes, sizes 8½ to 2; not a pair worth less than $1.50, many $2. Choice will be sold at, per pair 67c

Clearing Out BOYS' CLOTHING.

Second Floor.

Boys' Wash Knee Pants—sizes 4 to 10 years, in variety of stripes, were 75c, now 10c

Boys' Wash Knee Pants—sizes 4 to 14 years, in dark check colors, were 85c, now 19c

Boys' Wash Knee Pants—sizes 3 to 14 years, in checks, stripes, denims, linens and crashes, variety of colors, were 39c, now 23c

Boys' Wash Knee Pant Blouse Suits, sizes 3 to 8 yrs, fast colors, were 39c, now 19c

Boys' Wash Knee Pant Blouse Suits, sizes 3 to 8 years, variety of colors and stripes, were 65c, now 39c

Boys' Wash Knee Pant Blouse Suits, sizes 3 to 8 years, assorted style collars and different colors, were $1.25 and $1.25, now 65c

Several Hundred Children's

READY-MADE DRESSES. Second Floor.

In Lawns and Percales, all sizes from 1 to 6 years, that were sold at 75c, $1.00 and $1.25, now all go, your choice for 50c

Infants' Long Slips, were 85c, now 65c

Four Special Wednesday Bargains in

LAWNS, ETC.

Avenue A.

All of our 12½c and 15c Colored Lawns we will let out on Monday at 5c

All our American Organdies, regular 15c and 20c, at 5c

All of our Fine Imported French and Scotch Dimities, that were 20c, we are going to let out at 12½c

All of our 39c and 49c French Organdies, choice styles, we propose to let out at 15c

A Quartette of Attractions for Wednesday in

EMBROIDERIES. Avenue C.

500 pieces Hamburg Embroidery, actual width 2 inches, regular 5c and 7½c Embroidery—will go at (yard) ..... 2½c and 3½c

700 pieces Hamburg, Swiss and Nainsook Embroidery, also Colored Edgings, regular 8c goods—all go at (a yard) 5c

840 pieces Hamburg, Swiss and Nainsook Embroidery from 4 to 8 inches wide, all cut out, nice skirt widths, at (a yard—worth double) ..... 7½c and 10c

322 pieces Hamburg Embroidery, skirt flouncing, 12 inches wide, regular 25c Embroidery now (a yard) ..... 12½c and 15c

Wednesday's LINEN DEP'T BARGAINS.

Avenue B.

25 pieces Full Bleached Irish Linen Table Damask, 68 inches wide, was 69c per yard; now 50c

10 pieces extra fine Barnsley Bleached Table Damask, 70 inches wide, was 95c; now 63c

2 cases turkey red Table Damask, fast colors, 58 inches wide, were 35c per yard; now 22½c

150 dozen Hemmed Huck Towels, soft finish, 20x36 inches, regular value 12½c; now 10c

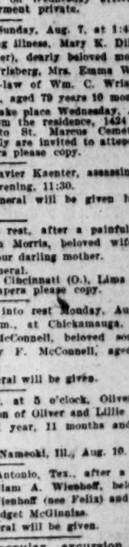
125 dozen Bleached Dinner Napkins, 22 inches square, were $1.85 per dozen; now $1.15

2 cases extra large size white Bed Spreads; choice Marseilles patterns, were $1.25 each; now 83c

1 case Crash Linen Suiting, 36 inches wide, were 17½c; now 12½c

REMOVAL SALE OF Men's Underwear.

AVENUE B.



100 dozen Gents' French Balbriggan Drawers, double seat, in blues and pinks, were 65c; to push out fast, now 39c

85 dozen Gents' Balbriggan Drawers, were 35c, now 19c

70 dozen Gents' French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, in browns and blues, were 65c, now 39c

53 dozen Gents' fancy striped Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, tailor-made seams—were 65c; now 43c

25 dozen Gents' Tan Lisle Thread Shirts and Drawers, were $1.00, now 55c

53 dozen Gents' Drab Lisle Thread Shirts and Drawers, tailor-made seams, were $1.25; now 69c

LACE CURTAINS AND RUGS.

Second Floor.

220 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, assorted designs—were $1.15 per pair—now 78c

190 pairs extra quality Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long—were $2.25 per pair—now $1.50

200 fire Screens (either cherry or oak), Silkoline filled—regular value 90c each—now 55c

125 extra quality Smyrna, 18x36 in. —were $1.15 each—now 75c

85 extra quality Smyrna Rugs, all new designs, 21x33 inches—were $1.65 each—now $1.00

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"The Big Store of Little Prices."

STRANGE INSANITY CASE

REMARKABLY ATTRACTIVE GIRL IN A CITY HOSPITAL CELL.

HER AFFILCTION INCURABLE.

She Became Violent at Home and Tried to Demolish the Furniture.

Bridget Elliff, a 17-year-old girl, who looks bright and innocent enough to be just reaching out for a high school diploma, belies her cheery apearance so much that she is now in a cell at the City Hospital,

BRIDGET ELLIFF.

and will doubtless be committed to the Insane Asylum.

Not for a long time has there been a more pitiable case of insanity at the hospital. The unfortunate girl has a wealth of wavy brown hair, which falls gracefully about her shapely neck. Her eyes are sparkling and her features are regular, with a complexion that might excite the envy of any West End belle.

Doctors regard the case as very serious. Monday afternoon the young girl was arrested at her home, 1441 North Fourteenth street, while making a wild attempt to break up the household furniture. When her mother could no longer restrain her a policeman was called.

Frequently of late the deranged miss has awakened in the night and aroused the household by her wild actions. She has torn to shreds several suits of clothing and in many other ways demonstrated a violent form of insanity.

All efforts of a Post-Dispatch reporter to induce the girl to talk were unavailing. She readily posed for an artist to make her picture and apparently was pleased at the distinction shown her, yet she would say nothing. Notwithstanding she is the occupant of a dismal cell, surrounded on every side by the most abject specimens of humanity, the Elliff girl is very careful of her personal appearance. She wears good clothing and looked spic and span as a young miss on a shopping tour when a reporter called at the hospital Tuesday.

RUN DOWN BY A WAGON.

Mrs. Kovarick Was on Her Bicycle When She Was Knocked Over.

Mrs. Pearl Kovarick lies seriously injured at her home, 1208 Washington avenue, the result of a collision with a wagon, while she was riding her bicycle on Chestnut street, near Sixth.

She fell to the street and the wheels of the vehicle passed over her abdomen. She refused to go to the City Hospital, and was sent home. The driver of the wagon has not been found.

CHAS. HONIG. LAWRENCE P. HARRIGAN.

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Finest livery and boarding stable in the city. Elegant new rubber tired carriages for receptions, theaters, weddings, etc. 718 to 728 N. King's highway, near Delmar av. Phone 7051.

DEATHS.

BURR—Entered into rest, Monday, Aug. 8, at 4:18 p. m., William E. Burr, in his 69th year.

Funeral services from his late residence, 3412 Morgan street, on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

DILLENBERGER—On Sunday, Aug. 7, at 1:45 p. m., after a lingering illness, Mary K. Dillenberger (nee Hamacher), dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Katy U. Wrisberg, Mrs. Emma Weingart, and mother-in-law of Wm. C. Wrisberg and J. M. Weingart, aged 79 years 10 months.

The funeral will take place Wednesday, Aug. 10, at 2 p. m., from the residence, 1434 Old Manchester road, to St. Marcus Cemetery. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Dayton (O.) papers please copy.

KAENTER—Francis Xavier Kaenter, assassinated by police Monday evening, 11:30.

Due notice of funeral will be given later. 1108 Allen avenue.

MORRIS—Entered into rest, after a painful illness, Mollie Marion Morris, beloved wife of Morris Morris and our darling mother.

Due notice of funeral.

Memphis (Tenn.), Cincinnati (O.), Lima (O.), Galveston (Tex.) papers please copy.

M'CONNELL—Entered into rest Monday, Aug. 8, 1898, at 11:30 a. m., at Chickamauga, Ga., Roland Franklin McConnell, beloved son of John A. and Mary F. McConnell, aged 21 years.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

PETTENGILL—Aug. 8, at 5 o'clock, Oliver P. Pettengill, infant son of Oliver and Lillie Pettengill, Jr., aged 1 year, 11 months and 17 days.

Will be buried at Nameoki, Ill., Aug. 10.

WIENHOFF—In San Antonio, Tex., after a lingering illness, William A. Wienhoff, beloved husband of Adele Wienhoff (nee Felix) and son of the late Mrs. Bridget McGinniss.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

B. & O. S.-W. popular excursion to Washington, Vincennes and intermediate points, Sunday, Aug. 14. Special train leaves Union Station 8:00 a. m.

KIND MR. SMITH AND A COW.

He Was Doing a Samaritan's Act When He Was Slugged.

Sympathy for dumb brutes got Sidney Smith into trouble.

Monday afternoon Smith saw a cow and a calf standing out in the hot sun. The calf was only a day or two old, and was so weak it could hardly stand. The cow was frothing at the mouth. Smith knew the cow and calf were in need of a drink. He went to a stable near by and got a bucket filled with water. Bossy drank greedily and so did the calf. Smith went back for another bucket.

Smith held the bucket up and bossy put her nose into it. At that moment a blow from behind knocked Smith down. William Carey, a negro, delivered the blow. A policeman saw it and arrested Carey. The negro said he was trying to sell the cow and calf, and he thought Smith was trying to persuade the cow away.

Judge Peabody did not think Carey had any business driving a cow and calf all over the city, anyhow. He knew the negro had no right to strike a man who was relieving the sufferings of a dumb brute. That's the reason he fined Carey $20.

WILL PAY THE CITY $23,5

Mullanphy Board Adopts a Motion to Settle Old Tax Claims.

The Mullanphy Board met Monday and adopted a motion to pay the City of St. Louis $23,500 due for taxes.

The money represents an amount which was contested through the Supreme Court. The adoption of the motion was due mainly to the efforts of Director John F. Hermann.

ONE NOTCH ON HIS GUN.

A Spaniard Brought Down at San Juan by Roosevelt's Revolver.

WEAPONS THAT ARE USELESS IN WAR.

NOT A WOUND MADE WITH MACHETE OR BAYONET IN SANTIAGO BATTLES.

HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING DAYS SEEM TO BE OVER.

The Modern Rifles, With Their Long Range, Usually Decide the Contest Before the Opposing Lines Are Near Each Other.

SANTIAGO, July 29.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt killed a Spaniard with his revolver in the charge near San Juan hill on July 1. This is apparently the only case in which that weapon was used with effect by either side in the whole campaign. Nearly all the officers in both armies, or rather three armies, to include the Cubans, carried swords or machetes, yet there does not seem to have been a single wound inflicted with one of these. All the infantry carried bayonets, but it is believed that not a hurt made with one of those was dressed in any hospital. American or Spanish. Those latter arms were carried by the thousand. They cost a great deal of money. With the ammunition of the revolver they involved the transportation of tens of thousands of pounds of weight, and nowadays, especially in tropical climates, the great object is to burden the soldier with as little baggage as possible. The question asks itself, why are they borne? If, in an entire campaign, in which several thousand men were injured more or less severely, the revolver, sword and bayonet did virtually no execution whatever, ought they to continue part of the military equipment in actual warfare?

As for the revolver, there are not lacking officers who think that, on the whole, it is almost as much of an incumbrance as a use. It is well enough in a military post and carries a certain weight of authority, just as the sword does. Perhaps no man, except of high rank, would want to go into the enemy's country entirely unarmed. He might be sent on some duty at night or encounter a stray soldier of the other side in the day time. The emergency would probably never arise, but the feeling of security given by a good, big pistol would be worth all the trouble of carrying it.

In the fighting around Santiago officers were conspicuous for leading their men in charges. But, as one of them expressed it, if a commissioned soldier had time to fire a weapon he was neglecting the duty of observing and commanding his men.

The charge in which Col. Roosevelt took part was an exception in the way in which the men of the different regiments were mixed up, and in the nearness of a few of the Spaniards. Anything like the hand-to-hand conflict is extremely unlikely in a battle in which both sides use modern rifles.

Their range is measured by miles. From 800 yards down their accuracy in the hands of skilled marksmen is frightful. They can be aimed and fired six or eight times a minute. The zone of fire is so large that the victory is virtually decided before a revolver could be used with accuracy.

In the charges at El Caney and San Juan the fighting continued until the two sides were close together, although many Spaniards had managed to escape. In the thrilling charge up the hill on the rifle pits and stone forts of El Caney the enemy's fire, except from the hills beyond, slackened when the final dash was begun. The execution of the American weapons was so awful that the Spaniards feared to show even enough of their bodies to fire at. When the storming party reached the fort and the trenches the enemy surrendered. For some minutes it had been evident that further resistance was useless.

An officer, therefore, found his revolver of little service, even if the difficult task of keeping his men together did not require all his attention. His functions are well defined and well understood.

Military tacticians have figured the need of a certain part of an army to direct the rest. They are more useful in this capacity than they would be handling guns. They can serve their cause best by doing the work especially assigned to them. Any mixing up of their duties with those of the privates would be likely to result in neglecting the more important set. Therefore, it is reasoned out, an officer can be more effectively employed than in trying with his own hand to kill the enemy.

Some exceptions are to be noted, such as when troops are stationary and officers borrow a rifle for a fancy shot. These instances occurred around Santiago, but were of course mere diversions.

A MURDEROUS GUEST.

Frank Cheeseman Makes a Call and Shoots Three Persons.

OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 9.—Frank H Cheeseman, a painter living in South Berkeley, went to the house of Henry Brooke in this city to call on Miss Etta Payne, who is Brooke's stepdaughter. Brooke opened the door and refused to admit Cheeseman, who at once drew a revolver and shot Brooke dead. The murderer then entered the house and passed into the kitchen, where he shot Miss Payne through the thigh. The mother attempted to interfere, when Cheeseman fired a shot at her, the ball passing through her dress. The murderer escaped, but later was captured. Cheeseman has a criminal record, having assaulted a woman named Josia Martin with a razor in San Francisco in 1892. He pleaded insanity and was sent to an asylum. He has also attempted suicide at various times.

The bullet which passed through Mrs. Brooke's skirt struck her in the leg. Her wound and that of Miss Payne are slight.

A CHICAGO WIDOW'S SUIT.

She Wants $100,000 From a California Man for Breach of Promise.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 9.—The case of Alta Humphrey, a Chicago widow, against Cyril E. Brown came up before Judge Ross in the United States Circuit Court. Brown is sued for $100,000 for breach of promise in connection with an advertisement the plaintiff put in a matrimonial paper, which was answered by Brown. The defendant was in court, but the lady was not. She was represented by her attorneys. The procedure was the admittance of the demurrer by the plaintiff's attorneys and the granting of permission to allow plaintiff to file an amended complaint.

THRESHER BURNED.

Strange Accident to a Machine Run by John Caloun.

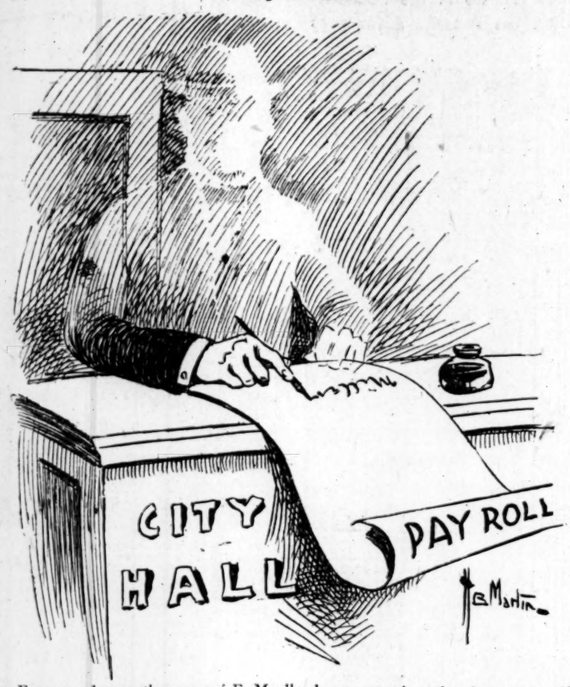
Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, Mo., Aug. 9.—While John Caloun was engaged threshing near Postina yesterday a match dropped into the hopper, igniting the machine. The loss to the machinery and grain will amount to several hundred dollars. No insurance.

Through Sleeper to Petoskey, Bay View, Mackinaw, via Vandalia Line, 1 p. m. train. Dining cars. Unexcelled service.

WHO IS MUELLER?

A Municipal Mystery, or the Puzzle of the New City Hall.



For several years the name of F. Mueller has appeared on the city pay roll. No one knows him; no one remembers having seen him. No one has even seen him draw any money from the city treasury. But the money has been drawn and other persons have signed the vouchers. Who is F. Mueller?

TONY STEUVER'S TRAIN UP RIVER EXCURSION.

COMMISSARY CAR AND OTHERS LEAVE UNION STATION THIS MORNING.

MANY BARRELS AND ICE.

There Were Also Boxes on Board That Were Marked "From Kentucky."

Police Commissioner Anton C. Steuver, at the head of 250 patriots, left St. Louis Tuesday morning for the Springfield convention.

Through the munificence of the Commissioner these self-same patriots rode to the meeting in a special train of chair cars and Wagner sleepers.

The time for departure was set at 7:30 o'clock, but an hour before that the train was run into the big shed and the work of "preparation" begun.

This was done under the personal direction of Lou Guion. He first inspected the three chair cars, then the two sleepers and finding these satisfactory turned his attention to the "commissary."

With shrewd judgment this was placed in the center of the train, just ahead of the Wagners.

Seven men were on duty at 7 o'clock, and a few moments later were joined by a corps of efficient waiters.

Neither Mr. Steuver nor Mr. Guion will permit enthusiasm to lag a moment. When the natural article shall have exhausted there is an abundance in cold storage in the commissary. The wires from all push buttons are turned in this direction and no effort will be required in reaching the highest enthusiastic points.

Around the sides of the car, jammed and packed tight against the walls, are many barrels, each being weighted down by huge chunks of ice that send a stream of water over the floor and trickling out the door as if a hose was at work. In those barrels, they say, are bottles and in the bottles—Mr. Steuver is president of a brewery and has the reputation of being hospitable.

Then there are other things in the refreshment line that come in boxes and bottles. May be these are not in such overwhelming quantities as the barrels, but most of it is said to have been imported from Kentucky and to be of exceptional smoothness and strength guaranteed to properly enthuse the most recalcitrant mugwump that ever happened.

The cigars are there in profusion—a pocketfull for every delegate, and he is not supposed to pay a cent.

The edibles came late. Mr. Guion was getting nervous. "Too late to tell you what's here, but you can tell our friends we are not going to starve," he called cheerily, as he tumbled more boxes and many baskets from the station truck into the car.

Mr. Steuver came in a few minutes before train time and was instantly carried into his car by friends, with whom he remained closeted until the departure.

The St. Louis delegation proper was strongly supported by alternates, friends of Judge Marshall.

The train will go over the Missouri, Kansas & Texas road to Clinton, and from there to Springfield over the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Gulf, arriving at Springfield about 7 p. m.

It is not expected that many of the party will forsake the comfortable sleepers for the crowded hotels in the convention city, but will pass the two days in the present quarters.

For fear that some of the "up the State" politicians might capture the St. Louis folks, Chief Desmond detailed two of his lynx-eyed sleuths to accompany the excursion. Tuesday morning Detectives Guion and Brady presented their credentials at the train and were admitted.

The delegation is expected home Thursday.

NO TRACE OF CUMMINGS.

Unavailing Search for the Young Stockman at Arcola, Ill.

ARCOLA, Ill., Aug. 9.—The search for Jesse Cummings, the missing stock buyer, has been fruitless so far. It is believed by his most intimate acquaintances that he has either met with foul play or become mentally unbalanced and has wandered out of the country. Some time ago Cummings was sunstruck, and has displayed signs of mental weakness occasionally since. In this condition, it is believed, he has wandered off. His wife is in a critical condition. Searching parties are still out.

HELD FOR MURDER.

Ed Wilson Bound Over to the Grand Jury for Killing D. A. Rue.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAIRO, Ill., Aug. 9.—Ed Wilson, who murdered David A. Rue in this city Saturday night, has been held for the grand jury by the coroner without bail. The evidence at the inquest yesterday afternoon showed the killing to be entirely unprovoked.

TO THE ILLINOIS RIVER AND RETURN ON THE STEAMER CITY OF PROVIDENCE.

FOR MOTHERS AND CHILDREN.

Picturesque Scenery, Cool Breezes, Good Refreshments, Music, Dancing and a Good Time.

A glorious day, a merry throng and a grand old boat, combined to make the excursion Thursday morning to the mouth of the Illinois River one to be long remembered by those fortunate enough to be aboard the City of Providence as she steamed her way past the many interesting sights between the high bluffs and low lying hills along the Upper Mississippi.

These excursions are all the rage with the women and children who long for an outing and fresh air, but who hesitate to leave behind them toiling husbands and fathers while they close the house and fly to some costly summer resort.

This trip, patronized by the most thoroughly genteel people, was a beautiful one, giving the pleasure-seeker glimpses of all principal points of interest near St. Louis. First, the Waterworks come into view, then a little higher up the two mighty rivers, the Mississippi and Missouri, meet and go on their way to the sea.

A stop of half an hour is made at Alton, the boat arriving there at 1 o'clock.

From this point on the scenery almost outrivals the beautiful Hudson, so high are the bluffs, so blue the haze far off over their tops, and so deep the valleys, covered with rugged trees and greenery.

The boat moves on past Clifton Terrace, the Illini Clubhouse situated on an island in the river, the Piasa Assembly grounds and Grafton, a peaceful village nestling in among the hills as though it loved them, just like all do who gaze from the deck of the steamboat as it ploughs its way through the water.

The boat goes to the mouth of the Illinois River and turns back.

Alton is reached on the return trip at 4 o'clock and 6 o'clock finds the excursionists home. Home to the hot streets, close air and bustling cares of humanity, all joyfully leaving their way along so different from the quiet peace left behind.

The children's eyes have a glad light in them and the pale cheeks of the mothers have a delicate flush as they take their farewell look at the boat and then the hand of her little one, resolving to go again.

Every Tuesday and Thursday all have the privilege of this trip of 90 miles for 25 cents and 15 cents for the children. Wednesday and Fridays the boat goes to Montesano Park and at other times it is used for charity excursions.

IS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Lady Yarde-Buller Has Reached Her Old Home in the West.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—Lady Yarde-Buller, whose many escapades have won for her a disagreeable notoriety in different parts of the world, is in San Francisco. She is temporarily domiciled in a downtown hotel, where she avoided the formality of registering.

The lady returned from the East in company with her attorney and intends remaining here for some time.

Mrs. Yarde-Buller is the divorced wife of the brother of Winston Churston of England, and the daughter of the late Gen. Kirkham of San Francisco, who in his lifetime was reputed to be very wealthy, but died comparatively poor. After her divorce from Yarde-Buller Mrs. Yarde-Buller was said to have shown insanity on several occasions. She was once examined in San Francisco as to her sanity and late detained in an asylum in Paris, from which she was rescued by her lawyer, Mr. Wakeman.

DRAGGED BY A HORSE.

Johnnie Miller, a St. Louis Boy, Killed at Huntsville, Mo.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MOBERLY, Mo., Aug. 9.—Johnnie Miller, the 12-year-old son of Ed Miller of St. Louis was killed in Huntsville Sunday by being thrown from a horse and dragged a quarter of a mile before the horse was stopped. His foot hung in the stirrup while the horse ran. The child only lived a few minutes as his skull was badly fractured. Mr. Miller and family were on a visit to Mr. Scott, his father-in-law.

Both Wanted the Cocaine.

Mollie Roxey and Clara Davis, two liberal thinkers, fought in the rear of 1018 North Eighth street Tuesday morning over a package of cocaine. Clara used a knife and put a hole in Mollie's scalp, sending her to the City Hospital.

Leo Rube in the Toils Again.

Patrolmen Platzer and Peters arrested James Steffen, alias Leo Rube, at Twelfth and Pine streets Monday night. Steffen is a pickpocket and was recently released from the workhouse.

THE PORTE MUST PAY.

NAVAL DEMONSTRATION MAY BE MADE AT CONSTANTINOPLE.

MINISTER ANGELL'S MISSION.

Claims of Americans for Damages in Armenia Lost Sight Of Because of the Cuban War.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASINGTON, Aug. 8.—The statement that the Porte has repudiated the claims of American citizens for damages sustained in Armenia is not credited here. Minister Angell was appointed by President McKinley with the sole object of having him to force the Sultan to pay the claims of the missionaries. It was the intention of the President to even go to the extent of making a naval demonstration before Constantinople to force compliance with his demands.

When Mr. Angell reached Turkey he entered upon the mission intrusted him and after a long period of wrangling with the Turkish Ministers at last succeeded in obtaining a promise from them that the claims would be paid in full.

Having accomplished this, he tendered his resignation to the President, in order that he might return to his duties as President of the University of Michigan.

Oscar Strauss of New York was selected by the President to succeed him. Minister Angell is to sail from the Ottoman Empire on Friday, and the State Department officials are confident that advices will be received from him if the report is true that the Sultan has repudiated the claims.

Immediately after Minister Angell's arrival in Turkey the navy of the United States was being rendezvoused in Eastern waters for the purpose of permitting the American Minister to enforce his demands. While this movement was in progress the Cuban situation became acute, and the contemplated demonstration was postponed until a more auspicious period.

Minister Angell frankly informed the Porte that unless the claims were paid the United States would endeavor to force payment. He was also told of the contemplated demonstration and the cause of postponement. The Sultan then promised to see that the claims were paid. This matter has been in this shape for months. The department was confident that an understanding existed, as Dr. Angell's resignation was accepted to take effect the latter part of August.

The bulk of the property destroyed consisted of mission buildings, and there has been a powerful influence at work to secure just compensation. It is now said that unless the claims are paid by Turkey a naval demonstration will be made against the Ottoman Empire just as soon as exigencies of the present will permit.

Admiral Sampson, who will be in command of the European squadron, which is to be formed after the beginning of peace negotiations, will be sent to Constantinople to intimidate the Turks.

DOLE FOR GOVERNOR.

Senator Morgan Predicts the Administration Policy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 8.—Senator Morgan of the Hawaiian commission, is quoted by the Call as saying that ex-President Dole will be the first Governor of Hawaii, and not Minister Sewell as recently reported. The Senator added that he had the best of reasons for believing that Admiral Miller was carrying Dole's commission to the islands.

FURTHER FRAUDS UNCOVERED.

New Evidence Disclosed Against the Officers of the Britannic.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Further evidence of the conspiracy among some of the officers of the White Star Line steamer Britannic to steal and smuggle was reported to the Chief of Police of Jersey City to-day.

In the rooms of Third Officer John Kynaston, who is under arrest here, and First Officer J. W. Jago, the first officer who disappeared after the arrest of Kynaston on Friday last, were found three receipts for registered packages mailed on Friday in New York. These packages were sent by Jago to London on the Cunard Line steamer Etruria, due in London next Friday. It is believed that they contained money and valuables stolen from the Britannic during her trip over. The Britannic arrived in New York on Friday and the packages were posted in New York shortly afterwards.

Chief Murphy has learned that the lace which the accused tried to smuggle from the Britannic to the dock was part of the cargo of the vessel and that shippers of the lace were not in the plot to defraud the Government.

Chief of Police Murphy said to-day that as the White Star Line was a British corporation and as English mail was opened the British authorities have jurisdiction in the matter.

John Kynaston, who tried to have 20 coupons from United States bonds cashed here, will have an examination to-morrow.

READY TO TAKE MANILA.

Work on the Big Spectacle at Athletic Park Progressing Rapidly.

Work is rapidly progressing on "Dewey's Battle at Manila," the spectacular naval show which opens at Athletic Park on Thursday evening. A visit to the park out on Grand avenue would almost lead one to believe himself in the Philippine Islands, so realistic is the great scenic picture representing Manila with its harbor and forts of defense. The huge American battleships are seen floating about on the bay in front of Cavite, all ready to commence the bombardment, while the Spanish fleet are there to resist and protect their possessions. From the indications of the work so far done the claim made by the American Show Co. that it is the greatest battle show ever attempted does not seem to be too great.

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CHAPLAIN ATTACKS SAMPSON.

J. P. McIntyre of the Oregon Makes a Serious Charge Against the Admiral.

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 9.—Chaplain J. P. McIntyre of the battleship Oregon delivered a lecture here in which he described the remarkable trip of the Oregon from San Francisco to join Sampson's fleet, and the part this battleship took in the destruction of Cervera's fleet. He spoke in most complimentary terms of Capt. Clark and his fighting seamen. Chaplain McIntyre gives the Oregon the bulk of the credit for the annihilation of the Spanish fleet on July 3. He said:

"Sampson wrote a report of the battle and reported himself within four miles of the Cristobal Colon when she pulled down her flag. He did that to get his share in the prize money, for a ship must be within four miles to share in the prize money. So Sampson will get $10,000 of the prize money, and Capt. Clark, who joined the Oregon as never man fought ship before, will get only $500; and you, who have just exactly as much to do with the battle as Sampson did, will not get a cent."

ADOLPH SUTRO'S FORTUNE.

The Ultimate Disposition of His Millions Is Still in Doubt.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 9.—The final disposition of the fortune left by the late Adolph Sutro is still in doubt. When Dr. Emma Merritt was appointed guardian of her father, last February, the Sutro estate was appraised at $2,849,672. Its real value, however, is believed to be much more. It is said that sons and daughters will share equally in its distribution. It has long been the late Sutro's desire and intention to give the Sutro Heights property and the Sutro Library to the people of San Francisco. Whether the conditions of his illness prevented him from carrying out his plan is yet to be made known.

HEDRICK ARRIVED SAFELY.

No Demonstration at Jackson, Mo., Where He Is to Be Tried.

JACKSON, Mo., Aug. 9.—Sheriff J. H. Jenkins arrived here yesterday on the 4 p. m. train from St. Louis with John Hedrick, who killed James M. Lail on July 1. No evidences of mob violence were noticeable. The excitement has quieted down and the murderer will be tried here next week.

John Hedrick, confessed murderer of John M. Lail of Jackson, Mo., was removed from the city jail yesterday and taken in charges of two deputy sheriffs to the scene of his crime, where he is to stand trial for one of the most brutal crimes ever committed in this State. Hedrick created a scene when he was taken from jail and found out where he was going. He screamed and shrieked, crying that he would be lynched and begging not to be taken back to Jackson. He resisted, and it was necessary to force him.

Sheriff Jenkins said he did not fear a mob. He thought that had Hedrick been taken to Jackson immediately after his capture he would have been lynched, but thought the feeling had died away.

Hedrick killed John Lail, his former employer, because he had discharged him for getting drunk. The crime was committed July 1, when Hedrick fired from behind and killed Lail with a single shot. Mrs. Lail ran to her husband, and Hedrick emptied his revolver at her, all the bullets lodging in her body.

JOHN BULL IN CHINA.

He Will Back Up the Celestial on All British Railroad Concessions.

PEKIN, Aug. 9.—The firm attitude adopted by Great Britain in the railroad concessions in China, which is giving general satisfaction in the British settlements, is maintained. Sir Claude M. MacDonald, the British Minister to China, was present at the meeting of the Chinese Foreign Office officials yesterday, and he reiterated Great Britain's formal promise to support China if threatened by any foreign power on account of a concession granted to a British subject.

The French Minister, M. Gerard, has complained to the Tsung Li Yamen that owing to Germany's representations China has compelled Yung Wing's Tsin Tsin Chin Klang Railroad to build which he has the support of an English syndicate willing to advance $25,000,000, to pass west of Shan Tung, thus, it is claimed, endangering the prospects of Han Kou Pekin Railroad concession given to a Franco-Belgian syndicate.

Kane Signed by Cahill.

Thomas W. Cahill, manager of the Shamrock Football Club, received the signed contract of Billy Kane, to play with his team this winter. Now that Jarrett is gone Kane is the bright particular star of the local colony of football players. The Shamrock team this winter will be in shape to hold its own against any company.

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WILL KILL CORBETT.

That Is What Fitzsimmons Threatens to Do Now.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 9.—Trouble is brewing between Bob Fitzsimmons and James J. Corbett. When Fitz and his wife passed Corbett's place yesterday Corbett claims Mrs. Fitzsimmons shook her fist at him and said: "Sorehead!" Fitz says the Corbett crowd raised an uproar and all began laughing as he drove by. Corbett called to Mrs. Fitzsimmons to send her monkey husband back to him.

Corbett feels highly insulted. Fitz said to-day that he would kill Corbett on the spot if he ever insulted his wife. He also said that he would have the third-rate fighter put out of the park, or put him out himself. There is every possibility that the two pugilists will meet face to face on the street and have it out.

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THE PHILIPPINE PUZZLE.

The real question is not shall we take the Philippines, but how shall we let go of them.

Two ways of disposing of them have been suggested. One is to give them back to Spain; the other is to let Europe take care of them.

But how can Spain take them back—especially the Island of Luzon—when Spain is without a navy and is utterly broken in pocket? To withdraw with only a naval station would be to sign the death warrant of every Spaniard in the islands and turn them over to the half savage Malays.

Would Europe consent to dispose of them? Europe has had trouble enough of a kind menacing to her peace in trying to act in concert on the Turkish question. Another menacing problem is found in China. Would the European nations consent to take up still another bone of contention? Each wants a piece of the Philippine pie, but all would prefer to have the United States settle the problem.

So, having destroyed Spain's power and disturbed the status, the problem is with us. We may not want the Philippines, but we may find them on our hands, confronted by the tough question of how to dispose of them. That is likely to be the puzzle of American statesmanship.

Bond speculators have done much in Washington, but they are hardly equal to the task of making Uncle Sam pick Spanish chestnuts out of the fire.

TO COMPETE FOR THE CUP.

Sir Thomas Lipton of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club wants to compete for the America's Cup with his yacht Shamrock.

This is a pleasant revival of the international sport rudely interrupted by the surly Earl of Dunraven, who could not bear defeat like a true sportsman.

Sir Thomas and his boat will be heartily welcome and he will have a glorious good time trying for the cup. The challenge comes at a time when the English and Americans are trying to get together in friendly understanding. Anything which tends to soften the ill temper growing out of the Dunraven episode and promotes good feeling is a public good. But, of course, it cannot be admitted for a moment that the Shamrock can outsail the American yacht chosen for the race.

It is better to be American than to be military when our soldiers are suffering. Long live the American round robin!

A QUESTION OF ETIQUETTE.

Col. Roosevelt and the round-robin Generals were guilty of a breach of official etiquette in presenting their grievances, and there is a disposition in some quarters to censure them severely.

But Secretary Alger was guilty of a breach of personal etiquette when he published a private letter. The act itself was inexcusable, but the motive was so plain that most observers will use a harsher term to characterize it.

Roosevelt and the other officers had in mind the welfare of the army and the nation. Alger was moved by petty spite and a desire to "get even" with a man who dared to expose the shortcomings of the War Department.

Col. Roosevelt may be indiscreet. He may not have a proper respect for official etiquette and red tape, but nobody has questioned his sincerity and single-hearted devotion to country. When Mr. Alger called attention to the mote in the Rough Rider's eye he made an indecent exposure of the beam in his own.

Rear-Admiral Sampson may, as Secretary Long insists, have conducted himself faultlessly on all occasions, but it is a pity that his friends should feel it necessary to say so much in defense and explanation of his conduct.

TAXATION AND REPRESENTATION.

When the annexation of our new colonies is accomplished the question of taxation will be among the first to be considered.

Will the customs and other taxes collected in the colonies go into the national Treasury or will they be employed exclusively for the colonies?

This is the old question of taxation without representation, which was the principal grievance of the American colonies against the mother country in 1776.

To be consistent we cannot require any contributions from the colonies. Their revenues belong to themselves. The United States cannot claim them. Until they are admitted to the Union as States, with representatives in both Houses of Congress the colonies should not be made to bear any portion of the national burden of taxation.

Russia wants railroads in China for a good Russian reason. She wants them for the transportation of Russian troops.

ASSESSMENT OF CORPORATIONS.

Through the activity of the Single Tax League of St. Louis the question of assessment has been brought forcibly to the attention of the people of Missouri, and there is likely to be lively time at the next meeting of the Legislature.

McCann and Mr. Moser of the League Committee have shown that the State alone is losing $350,000 a year from under-assessment of railroad, express and bridge companies, to say nothing of the loss of cities, counties and schools.

In St. Louis the assessment was raised from $5,000,000 to $24,000,000 in response to evidence of actual value, but the Board of Equalization reversed itself and reduced the assessment to $6,115,000; just why, is not clear.

Mandamus proceedings will be brought before the Supreme Court, where the question will be judicially reviewed. But whatever the outcome of that proceeding may be the political issue is squarely made on facts carefully gathered and clearly presented.

Gov. Stephens says that he withheld the commissions of Col. Batdorf and other officers of the First Regiment because of their violation of the nineteenth article of war, which forbids soldiers to speak contemptuously of the Chief Magistrate of the State. In the light of this information unenlisted Missourians will rejoice that they didn't enlist.

A FATAL BLUNDER.

It is impossible to credit the report that Gomez and Garcia have decided not to regard any armistice entered into between the United States and Spain, but to continue their guerrilla warfare against the Spaniards.

By such a course the Cuban leaders would place themselves in direct antagonism to the United States, whose aid assures the realization of the aims for which they have fought. They would forfeit the sympathy of their best friends in this country and of foreigners, and would indefinitely postpone Cuban independence.

By casting suspicion upon their own motives, by forcing insurgents into a position of hostility to the United States and by throwing obstacles in the way of establishing a stable home government, they would strike a damaging, if not fatal, blow at the insurgent Government and their own hopes. The United States would be compelled to proceed regardless of the wishes or plans of the present Cuban leaders.

Cubans in this country, who appreciate the inestimable service to Cuba of the United States and the honest purpose of the American people toward the Cubans, should see that no blunder of this kind is committed by the insurgent leaders. It would be fatal.

In Chicago 443 city employes have just been dropped as a matter of economy, but the city work is to go on just the same. These 443 employes must have been exceedingly unnecessary or the remaining force is going to be fearfully overworked. Those who are familiar with city management will know about this.

Bismarck's valet was a man of sense. He gave the dying man champagne and mineral water, in spite of the doctor's orders. Is it ever worth while to refuse any refreshment to the dying? At best, their lives can last but a few days or hours.

The lawlessness of a company of the Ninth Cavalry in Florida should be promptly punished. When soldiers make war upon civil government, and in the interest of military offenders, they should be taught a lesson in government.

Tariff taxes would soon be abolished if they were represented by stamps. Tariff taxation is a trick. It is used by tricksters because it hides the tax from everybody too busy or too dull to reason for themselves.

Before Mr. Dingley dingleyed we were selling more than $80,000,000 worth of our products to Canada. Certainly there is need of the high joint commission that is to consider how this excellent market may be kept.

If Secretary Day retires as soon as peace is declared, he will escape all worry from the troublemen of Cuba and the Philippines. A fresh statesman undoubtedly will feel more like taking up the new problems.

It is true that we have a great extent of coast, but we have a great navy, though not the largest. Any foreign power meddling with us will not be much advantaged by our long line of seashore.

Bismarck was very much of a troubleman to the German Emperor, and some of the trouble is to be continued in the memoirs that have to be taken to London for publication.

Southern ports and Southern factories are certainly taking business away from the East, but such things must be in the development of a great commercial people.

Spain raised $400,000,000 to oppress Cuba and now wants to put the debt off upon us or upon the Cubans. The outlook for the bondholders is not cheering.

All the fever is not in Cuba. We have just lost a Brigadier-General from fever contracted at Chickamauga.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

Spain having been unhorsed, now wishes to saddle her debts upon us.

Losing three score and ten games ought to finish the life of the Browns.

The peace society organizing in Spain should have got together early in the spring.

The United States will make more ammunition and ought to make less red tape.

Expansion and anti-expansion disputes are not likely to expand the Democratic party.

Expansion is going to be very expensive, but we happen to have the men and the money.

Should Hobson succeed in saving the Colon he will be entitled to another series of kisses.

The retail grocers' picnic was so great a success that nobody thought to ask, "Anything else?"

As a finishing touch to the peace, Spain would like to touch us for the huge Spanish Cuban debt.

If Roosevelt writes any more letters to Alger he should take the Blaine precaution of adding "Burn this."

Mrs. Rainwater kissed a hundred heroes, Miss Arnold only one. No hero should go unrewarded in our glorious war for humanity.

Madrid was gay enough on last Sunday to go to the bull fights. They are as barbarous as war, and come in as a popular substitute.

May there be no rough riding for our heroes on their way across the water. A hero seasick suffers as much as the most timid passenger.

The addition of the Chinese Empire to Russia is a "manifest destiny" which is likely to meet with a great many obstacles in manifesting.

The authorities may in time hush Miss Arnold's piano, but how are they to deal with the spooks that thrum the instrument in Judge Marshall's house?

Umpire McGinty should stay away from all towns having a water front. Had the Toledo mob thrown him into the lake he might not have come up again.

The insurgent Raggers are so much opposed to monarchy that a guerrilla war in St. Louis is possible. The King's experience with troublemen has already been serious.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

L. E. E.—Send your address in confidence to the Post-Dispatch.

L. J. W.—Germany's navy rates fourth among the navies of the world.

GEO. B. F.—Italy's navy is rated at less than one-fourth that of Great Britain.

SUBSCRIBER.—The address of Rev. T. De Witt Talmage is Washington, D. C.

A READER.—The nearest navy recruiting office is the Washington City Navy Yard.

E. G. Numismatic and philatelic questions are not answered in these columns. Ask a stamp dealer.

H. K. & CO.—The area of Africa is 11,514,000 square miles; North America, 6,446,000; South America, 6,837,000.

W. B. K.—We cannot give you the desired information. Address the Secretary of War, Washington, D. C.

A SUBSCRIBER.—The percentage of illiteracy among the people is greater in Spain than in the United States.

A READER.—To be come a Red Cross nurse you must apply at the headquarters of the society, either in Washington, D. C., or New York City.

O. V. REDIN, Granite City, Ill.—The first road in this city to run electric cars over its road was the Suburban, which was also the first cable road.

EMIL KAMMER.—Recruiting for the United States Army goes on regularly throughout the year at Third and Olive. Persons joining are liable to be sent anywhere.

SUBSCRIBER.—1. A wine dealer is required to stamp the bottle he sells from and put a new stamp on every time it is refilled. 2. He is not required, when he sells a gallon or half gallon, to affix a stamp. 3. If a person brings a soda bottle and buys 5 cents' worth of wine the dealer must put on a stamp. 4. He is not required to put on a stamp when a person brings a cup or mug for 5 cents' worth of wine.

ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

She tells lady readers of the Post-Dispatch about the superior advantages of women over men.

RECENTLY a man declared he was obliged to adopt female attire to secure work.

It has long been my belief that a poor young woman fares much better in the world than a poor young man.

Men adopt female attire to secure work.

There are no flowery paths of ease for either, but there are a dozen hands reached out in sympathy to the struggling girl, where not even a finger is offered to the struggling youth.

There seems to be a silent but settled impression in the public mind that it is a man's own fault if he is out of work and

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money. Just as strong an impression prevails that it is the fault of the world at large if a woman is poor and needy, and that something out to be done for her. If she is not too particular regarding the kind of work she wishes to do she can always find employment to keep her from starvation.

Not so with the poor young man. Men and women turn him away with only a brusque "We have nothing for you to do."

The same men and women listen with sympathy to the story of poverty which the poor girl tells and give her a word of cheer if nothing more.

A great deal more consideration is shown poor workmanship in woman than poor workmanship in man, whether in the trades or arts.

Ladies put up with slipshod work in the kitchen which no man would endure in the shop or field from his male employes.

A young woman came to New York last winter anxious to secure engagements to read for the public. She possessed not one entertaining quality as a reader and she was an unmitigated bore; but a dozen people to my certain knowledge used time, strength and money in aiding the girl, who, in spite of all this assistance, made a fiasco. For success, to be permanent, must start from within. It is like the shoot of a plant, and assistance from the public is like the sunlight which helps the shoot to

This is woman's century.

grow. But not all the sunlight of the Orient can coax a leaf out of a barren twig.

No young man who made himself such a bore personally and who read so badly would have found New York people ready to waste hours and dollars upon him.

Mediocre painters, writers, teachers and toilers of all kinds receive far more consideration and material encouragement when pursuing their vocations in skirts than they do when attired in trousers.

Of course, while our present conditions

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exist there will be innumerable cases of distress and poverty for both sexes, but there can be no gainsaying the fact that to-day woman's chances for obtaining employment are far better than man's.

ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

ASHES OF EMPIRE.

By ROBERT W. CHAMBERS.

Author of "The King in Yellow," "The Red Republic," "Lorraine," etc., etc.

SYNOPSIS OF PREVIOUS CHAPTERS.

The story opens in Paris with the news of the fall of Sedan. The mob takes possession of Paris and the Empress is rescued by the two heroes of the story, Bourke and Harewood, correspondents of American newspapers. They are aided in this by two young Parisiennes, who give up their cab to the Empress.

These two young women keep a bird store where they had been left alone by the death of their father. A lioness, tamed and gentle, is their companion. A Parisian thief, known as the Mouse, enters this store, but is frightened away by the lioness. When he gets out on the street troops are passing and the confusion is so great that he is almost run down by two horsemen following the soldiers. These are the two Americans. He attacks them and Harewood is cut seriously on the head. He is carried into the bird store, where the young women make him comfortable. Then the two correspondents rent quarters over the store and prepare to be there during the coming siege.

Harewood afterward falls in with the Mouse and befriends him at a critical moment. Meanwhile the touch of romance comes. Harewood and Hilde are plainly attracted toward one another. One day Harewood returns to the house and finds Speyer and Stauffer, two Germans, who pose as correspondents of German-American newspapers. He has known and disliked them, and when he discovers that they have made themselves disagreeable to the girls, kicks them out.

A cannon known as "The Prophet" is mounted opposite the house on the ramparts. This is a huge monster and on its first discharge shattered the windows of the house and terrifies the Bonesa Schehezerade. The young men are away at the time observing the disposition of the troops.

Harewood and Bourke enter a restaurant where a number of soldiers are assembled. A disturbance arises and the young men become involved in the melee. In the course of it the name of a celebrated American criminal is mentioned in connection with the Undertakers, a secret society of revolutionists, which has recently raised its head. It turns out that this man Buckhurst is the chief of the society which has adherents in the army. Harewood and Bourke are chased out of the restaurant as Prussian spies and make their way back to the house on the ramparts.

CHAPTER XIV.

THE UNDERTAKERS.

"Damnation!" said Harewood, furiously, holding up a tattered sleeve, "I've a mind to use my revolver next time, and I'll do it, too! Idiots! I'll show them who's a spy—yes, I will, Cecil!"

"You'd better not," said Bourke, grimly regarding his own dishevelled attire. "There's no telling what your Parisians may do in this crisis. Jim, you heard what that rat-faced soldier said about Buckhurst? Of course we'll cable it—but—what would you think of arresting the fellow and getting the government to hold him for extradition?"

"Government? What government? Not this crazy aggregation in Paris? What's the use? They won't do it; they won't dare touch him if he's hand in glove with the Belleville gang. Didn't you hear the soldier couple his name with Rochefort's and Flourens'? Probably he's one of the shining lights of their cutthroat club, the Undertakers!"

Bourke looked up suddenly.

"Jim, that's what we'll do; we'll go to Belleville to-night and attend a seance of the Undertakers."

Harewood nodded uncertainly.

"You remember, I have a friend at court there, the Mouse," he said; "and, as you suggested, it's possible that he may attempt to cut our throats as an expression of good will."

Bourke hesitated. He looked sharply at Harewood, undecided, a little curious to know how his comrade would act.

"Do you care to go?" he asked after a pause. "You needn't—on my account."

"Yes, if you are going," replied Harewood, pleasantly.

"Come ahead, then," said Bourke, wondering whether Harewood had accepted the risk through recklessness, a reporter's instinct of rivalry or an unwillingness to let him take the risk alone.

The Reign of Terror inoculated Paris with a virus, the first symptom of which was an eruption of "clubs." A hundred years later the city was again violently infected; the Third Empire potsoned Paris, and a fresh outbreak of "clubs" followed, aggravated by the declaration of war in July, 1870. Now, that the German armies were closing in on the city, the irresponsible mania for organizing clubs increased to such an extent that, in certain quarters of Paris, every street had its club. And, of all the clubs, organized to discuss politics or to combat political parties, the grimmest and most sinister, the most thoroughly revolutionary, was the so-called "Undertakers' Club" of Belleville.

In the beginning this club had been extremely radical, but perfectly sane. It flickered into life with the birth of the Third Empire, blazed like a comet during the fusillades of the boulevard and streets, and finally went out like a greasy candle, leaving a doubtful stench in the city. The flame, however, was relighted when Napoleon III. declared war against his "good brother" King Wilhelm of Prussia; and when that mild-natured and sentimental old monarch left his becabbaged estates to chastise his bad "brother," Napoleon, the Undertakers stirred in their slumbers.

The resurrection of the Undertakers was accomplished through three circumstances,

MORTIER BEGAN TO SPEAK.

be, if he had not known as surely as the sun rises that the Commune was coming, coming inexorably after the brief war cloud had blown clear of a humiliated nation, the Undertakers would never have lifted a finger to equip a battalion for the defense of Paris. But Buckhurst saw further, he knew that every new marching battalion from Belleville meant, for him and his, a veteran reserve in time of need. His need would come when the Commune came. So when two organized battalions of the national guard elected Flourens their commandant, Buckhurst, rose in the tribune and called for volunteers to form a third battalion. He knew what he was doing, he crushed opposition and won his point, and the Undertakers fixed a night for the mustering in of their battalion and a reception to "Major" Flourens. All this, of course, was contrary to law, military and civil, there was no such title as major in the national guard, but the government dared not antagonize Belleville at such a moment.

When Bourke and Harewood entered the hall, nobody apparently paid them the slightest attention. They slipped quietly upstairs to the wooden gallery, found a seat on the steps between two aisles, and looked down at the throng below. A thick fog of tobacco smoke hung over everything, through which gas jets burned with pale, attenuated, spearlike flames. High on the three seats of the tribune, behind the pulpit-shaped desks sat three men; on the right, Flourens, young, flushed, handsome, blue eyes dilated and nostrils fairly quivering with impatience; on the left sat Mortier, all body and bandy legs, with the eyes of a lunatic deep set under a high, bald, domelike forehead. In the middle Buckhurst sat.

The hall was packed with the undertakers and their friends, sitting cheek by jowl around hundreds of little iron tables, sloppy with beer dregs and the blue-black lees of cheap wine. Everybody was smoking, cheering, screeching, hammering beer mugs on the round iron tables; women waved wine glasses in the smoke-choked glare; soldiers of the national guard banged on the floor with bayonets and sword-sheaths. Red flags were draped around the hall alternating with hideous decorations, mostly emblems of death and the undertaker's profession. In the midst of the uproar, the foul smoke, reeking atmosphere and stench of stale beer, half a dozen well-fed reporters sat writing at a long table which stood directly in front of the base of the tribune. Their sleek, ruddy faces, their well-groomed persons, silk hats, ivory-handled walking sticks, fat cigars tucked under waxed mustaches, presented a picture at once incongruous and reassuring. Oblivious to the crowd, the stench, the furious fulminations from militant anarchists, denouncing everything, including the maker of everything, these reporters scribbled away at their pads, sharpened pencils or flicked the ashes from good cigars, under the very noses—in the very faces—of the most irresponsible crowd of ruffians that ever gathered to encourage each other's criminal instincts. Mortier began to speak, rising on his crooked legs, his long throat swathed in a red handkerchief. Under the grotesque dome of his bald forehead, his villainous face contracted till the scrubby beard bristled. When he opened the black cavern of his mouth a single tooth broke the monotony of his grinning gums.

He spoke for a long time, his piercing voice splitting the choked atmosphere till the crowd howled again and the dreadful tumult broke back from the echoing rafters into a very hell of sound.

Flourens followed, speaking first earnestly, then with frightful impetuosity. He leaped to the platform before his desk and stretched out his arm. Every movement set the gaslight glittering and shimmering over the gilded arabesques on his uniform. The crowd roared, mad with exultation.

Then Buckhurst rose.

At the first quiet word a hush fell over the hall; his voice was placid, passionless, cool and grateful as summer showers.

"Citizens," he said, "you have organized your battalion, you have added your voices to the voices of the other two battalions; a legion has been formed; Maj. Flourens is your leader.

"The government says that he is not. We differ from the government—we expect to differ more seriously still—when the time comes. At present we can afford to wait. But a time is very near when orders that come from the Palais Bourbon will be countermanded by orders issued from the Hotel de Ville. The Undertakers need a larger hall—the Hotel de Ville is not too large."

The frantic cheering checked him for a moment. Then he resumed:

"For a time it is best to go to the ramparts, that we fight the Prusians under the tri-color. This is policy—for the moment. But—policies change; so do flags; so does what is now called patriotism.

"Citizen Mortier has reminded you that universal brotherhood is not compatible with patriotism, that the red flag of revolt is the universal banner of human brotherhood, that there is nobler game for your rifle bullets than the hearts of battle-driven peasants, who, although Prussians, are your brothers and your comrades in arms against the wealth of all the world. It is well to bear this in mind—and wait.

"And now, as you have elected Maj. Flourens chief of the new legion, and as you have elected me commandant of your battalion, I ask you, for the privilege of naming to you two of my fellow-countrymen for election as captains in the Third Battalion."

"Name them! Name them!" shouted the crowd.

Bourke leaned over the balcony, clutching Harewood's arm.

"By heaven!" he whispered, "do you see who he's going to name?"

Harewood, mute with astonishment, stared down at the platform where two men had mounted from the crowded floor and now stood facing Buckhurst.

The two men were Speyer and Stauffer.

Amid a whirlwind of applause their names were presented and accepted. Buckhurst administered the oath. Flourens dramatically returned their salutes; Mortier, his ape-like face stained a dull red with excitement, sat behind his desk on which lay a pile of red cockades. His little insane eyes snapped as Speyer and Stauffer marched up to be invested with the badge of anarchy; the crowd howled; drums and bugles crashed out; the meeting was at an end. Suddenly in the midst of the tumult, Harewood felt that somebody on the swarming floor below was looking straight at him. He turned his head uneasily; Buckhurst's colorless eyes met his own. For a full minute they gazed silently at each other across that smoke-reeking chaos; the bugle's ear-splitting racket, the crashing of brazen drums, the echoing howl died away in Harewood's ears; he only heard a clear, penetrating voice repeating, "Silence, silence, if you please, gentlemen!" and Buckhurst, with his eyes still fixed on him, touched Speyer on the elbow. Stauffer, too, was looking up now; Speyer had turned livid when he saw Harewood.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

THE TABLE.

MACKEREL RISSOLES.—Take the cold remains of a boiled mackerel, shred finely and mix with equal quantities of mashed boiled potatoes, moisten with tasty white sauce, and season with salt and pepper. Form into small round cakes, flour and egg each, and fry a light brown. These are most excellent for luncheon. ADA B.

TABLE HINTS.—The piquant tang of lime juice goes excellently with all manner of fish. Send limes in quarters to the table, whenever you have baked fish or broiled. Lime juice instead of vinegar makes another dish of salmon salad and gives new and pleasing zest to even little-neck clams on the half shell.

CHICKEN MAYONNAISE.—A mayonnaise of chicken is an easier way to serve left-over cold chicken than its preparation in salad. The chicken is cut in great pieces, from which bone, gristle and skin are removed, and each dipped in mayonnaise, the whole being placed on bits of crisp lettuce arranged on a platter. Cold veal is sometimes served in this way for a tea or supper dish.

ONION SOUFFLE.—Chop two large onions fine. Soak one-half cupful of bread crumbs in one-half of a cupful of milk; add to the onions and beat well. Then stir in the yolk of an egg, beaten very light, and the whites of two eggs, beaten to a stiff froth. Put this mixture into a deep enameled dish; put a grating of cheese over the top and bake for 20 minutes.

JULEP A LA HOBSON.—The mint julep has put on frills and been bettered thereby. First fill the shaker with ice, broken to the size of hailstones. Over it pour a generous glass of 5-year-old whisky and shake until the arms are tired. Meanwhile have ready three tall, thin tumblers, with one lump of sugar in the bottom of each, and tender mint stalks, just tall eough to come well above the brim, all around the edges. Put a tiny cube of fresh ripe pineapple on top of the sugar, then fill the glasses to within an inch of the top with whisky and ice. On top of that squeeze a lime and scoop out a little of its flesh and you have crowned a most delicious drink.

PINEAPPLE PANCAKE.—The Germans make a delicious pineapple pancake that is worthy general adoption. A plain, thin pancake batter of eggs, flour and milk, is made and poured into a big buttered frying-pan, hot enough to begin the baking at once. As soon as the batter spreads out, cover with a layer of stewed pineapple, not too juicy, and dredge with powdered sugar. Put the pan in a hot oven and bake for eight or ten minutes, until brown and well done. Cut the cake into triangular pieces and serve hot.

THE HOUSE.

HOME DECORATION.—La France roses, if rightly and well treated, are an individual scheme, especially for bureau scarfs. The linen should be extra in quality and then these flowers given in a branchlike adornment at each corner and in the center just above the broad hemstitched hem. They should be copied true to nature, giving all the light and shade of these beautiful blossoms, the delicate pink alone being the device without the green leaves. This design can be used with fine effect for the furnishing of the lighter woods, making, especially for the dressing glass, a daintiness which is necessary for all well-appointed bedrooms.

SETTEE HAMMOCK.—The settee hammocks much seen this season are passed over by the real hammock lovers, who profess to find in the horizontal outstretched position the chief charm of these swinging beds. To those, however, who use a hammock as an out-of-door reading chair, rather than a lounging one, the arrangement by which they can keep upright with a comfortable slope to the body is a welcome one.

CARE OF TEA TRAYS.—Be careful about pouring boiling water over the tea-trays, as it cracks the varnish. Wash in luke-warm water with a little soap, and use sweet oil to remove the white marks frequently left by hot things.

EXCELLENT PORCH CURTAINS.—An excellent porch curtain for piazzas that are somewhat limited in size and may not harbor the useful rattan screen, is made of striped cotton canvas, like that used for awnings. This is fringed on the lower edge and is put up to the upper cross beam of the porch railing by brass rings. Through these rings runs a manila rope, by which it is easy to adjust the curtain.

TO BRIGHTEN BRASSWARE.—The lovely Benares brassware, as well as the Moradabad ware, can be kept bright and fresh by using a cut lemon. Rub the lemon into all the little interstices, give the article a good polishing, then wash in clean warm water and dry with a chamois or a nice piece of canton flannel. A dressing of this kind will keep it fresh for months.

FANCY WORK.—The most fashionable tones just now are white and green. An exquisite set for the domestic table can be made of butcher's linen in four pieces—a tray cloth and three small mats. For this scheme the white chrysanthemum is lovely—with its dark green leaves. The design is made as a sign decoration of flowers in full size, and finished with the edge in deep scallops. White is now used and recognized as the color which suits china and is more durable for every-day wear.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, a grievance to ventilate, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss, or a public service to acknowledge, and who can put the idea into the fewest words possible. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column.)

Spain and Her Colonies.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Your article in Sunday's paper, "Greater America," breathes the true American spirit. This Government could not honorably allow Spain to retain possession of the Philippines after aiding the insurgents with arms and ammunition. Let the good work go on until Spain is denuded of all her colonies. She has not yet solved the problem of how to properly control her own country. OLIVER CROMWELL.

St. Louis.

A St. Louis Girl's Opinion.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

We think the "Jolly Girls" are all O. K. and exactly correct in saying the St. Louis boys are slow, and, besides being slow, are just behind the times. It takes the Louisville boys to be up to date. Ones that know the Louisville boys. M. AND M.

St. Louis.

Obsession and Insanity.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Insane Superintendent Runge is "away off" on obsession. Obsession is well known and is one of the things that have to be guarded against in the development of so-called mediums. And the Bible is not half so untrue as many of us suppose.

St. Louis. DIABOLUS.

SPORTS OF THE DAY

ADIEU GILPATRICK.

TIM HURST LETS GO OF HIS TEXAS LEAGUE PITCHER.

THE BROWNS' EASTERN TRIP.

They Play in Philadelphia This and Next Week They Visit Baltimore and Washington.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cincinnati	97	65	32	.670
Cleveland	94	59	35	.628
Boston	93	58	35	.624
Baltimore	90	52	38	.578
New York	94	52	42	.553
Chicago	98	54	44	.552
Pittsburg	94	50	44	.532
Philadelphia	92	43	49	.467
Brooklyn	92	36	56	.391
Louisville	98	36	62	.367
Washington	92	32	60	.348
St. Louis	98	29	69	.296

Where They Play.

Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at Cincinnati.
Washington and Cleveland at Philadelphia.

Yesterday's Games.

St. Louis, 4; New York, 2.
Cleveland, 6-2; Washington, 3-2.
Chicago, 6-3; Philadelphia, 2-8.

The series between the St. Louis Browns and the New Yorks is over.

The Giants won the first two games, but yesterday the Browns batted out a victory for themselves.

It was one of those pretty games that the St. Louis club puts up occasionally.

Jack Taylor, who pitched the ten-inning tie game Saturday against the Giants, was in the box for St. Louis, and was a complete puzzle to the New Yorkers.

Meekin, the Giants' pitcher, who has been laid up for some time, opposed Taylor. He was batted freely.

Clements made the longest hit ever seen at Sportsman's Park yesterday. He put the ball over the right field fence. Jack is getting back to his old-time batting form.

Umpire Emslie, who is considered one of the best knights of the indicator, was hit on the ankle by a foul tip and badly injured. He was carried from the field. Hunt finished the game, and his fog-horn voice furnished much amusement for the spectators.

The Browns left last night for Philadelphia. They will play exhibition games before they open at Philadelphia, as no game is scheduled there until Friday. From Philadelphia they go to Washington and Baltimore. They will play the Senators at Sportsman's Park on Aug. 24.

Before the Browns went away last night Manager Hurst gave Pitcher Gilpatrick his release. He is a graduate of the Texas League, and was signed with the Browns from the San Antonio Texas Club. He did fairly well, but on his last trip East was struck on the arm by a batted ball and has been on the sick list ever since. Carsey is in form again and will pitch regularly. The Browns only have four pitchers now —Jack Taylor, Hughey, Sudhoff and Carsey.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the National League has been called by President Nick Young for Aug. 15 at the Walton House, Philadelphia. The case of Andy Freedman will then be dealt with and there promises to be a hot time for the boss president. Andy will probably have to cough up the fine of $1000.

FREE-FOR-ALL CAKE WALK.

A Competition Which Promises to Settle the Local Championship for Good.

The first free for all cakewalk ever held in St. Louis will be disposed of at Koerner's Park Theater on Thursday night. It is to be a sweepstakes of $20 each, with $50 added by Manager Welch, the winning couple to take all. The entries so far are Sheridan and Cusick, who until now have been the recognized champions of the West; Rube Welch and Irene Franklin, and W. Hessel and Clara Hessel. Other entries will be received until the night of the walk and the competition is open to all. Welch hopes to see Vogel, the commission man, also among the entries, as there are many who believe the late walk in which he took part, should have been decided in his favor.

Yesterday's Track Winners.

At St. Louis—Celluloid, Cotton Plant, Basquil, Parole D'Or, Loving Cup and Siva.

At New York—Rotterdam, Gadfly, Bonnie Gem, Continental, Country Dance and Jefferson.

At Saratoga—Hi Lee, High Jinks, Estacada, Martha H. and Flavius.

At Chicago—Lady Ellerslie, Allyar, Hugh Penny, Daisy Newsgatherer and Nat P.

At Detroit—Tessie B., Ergo, Loyal Prince, Annawah, Rey Del Mar and Nettie Brooke.

Every woman who hopes and expects to be a mother should know that if she is in a state of unnatural weakness or disease at the time the baby is born, this unhealthy condition will be transmitted to the baby and will just as surely and relentlessly destroy its future health and happiness as a locomotive engine would crush out its tender little life if it were playing on the track. This is the great law of heredity which never gets off the track for anybody.

The prospective mother who is sustained through the period of anticipation by the strengthening health-giving aid of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, will find all the dangers of motherhood completely overcome and a large portion of its pain and discomforts banished. This wonderful restorative "Prescription" gives health to the special organs and nerve-centers. It makes the mother capable and cheerful; protects her against relapse and imparts increased constitutional vigor to the child.

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Mrs. W. Robinson, of Springhill, Nova Scotia, writes: "I was confined and I was only sick about thirty minutes in all. I can truthfully say that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription' worked wonders in my case. I am going around doing my own work to-day before I had to keep a girl till I was able to do my work."

TO PICK SPRINT RACE WINNERS.

A gate, looking like that pictured above, has been successfully tried at various athletic meets in England, for the purpose of picking the winners of short distance running races. In short distance sprint races the leaders usually finish very close together, and it is not always easy for the judges to pick the winners, hence the introduction of the new invention. The new machine, an automatic affair, according to all accounts is infallible in deciding races. It is a very simple machine, and is suited only to those sprint races in which competitors are run between strings and lanes. The machine is placed at the finish, and is constructed to hold as many tapes as there are lanes or competitors. The tapes are breast high, and when a competitor runs against one of them he jerks a string which runs up the judging machine. For instance, if competitor No. 1 runs against the tape first, No. 1 above is released and falls upon the marking board by a bell pull kind of an attachment. The other numbers do not fall. For final heats, the board can be so arranged as to show first, second and third. One criticism of the new invention is that runners must finish with their arms above their heads, so as not to touch the tape with their outstretched hands.

THE TWO-MILE RACE.

IT WILL BE RUN AT THE FAIR GROUNDS THIS AFTERNOON.

FIVE HORSES WILL START.

Ed Farrell Will Probably Be the Opening Favorite and a Rank Outsider May Win.

The talent were in hard luck yesterday to only break even at the Fair Grounds.

With anything like a decent ride, 4mp. Skate would have won the handicap way off, and thus scored another and telling tally for the cognoscenti.

Loving Cup ran a fast race and Tommy McHale's iron-horse Basquil gave a great exhibition of gameness by winning after being jumped upon and cut down.

To-day the two-mile race is the feature of the card. Such good horses as Ed Farrell and Sunburst will come together at the seldom attempted distance and one of the pair should land the long end of the long distance purse. Willie Bloss will have the mount on Sunburst, and as he has a good knowledge of pace, Jim Cushing's campaigner will probably beat Ed Farrell and the remainder of his field.

But there may be a killing made in this race with Rifle.

Aquinas, in the concluding event of the day, looks "good goods." Aquinas is a slow beginner, but the distance of the race, seven furlongs, will give him time to get into his stride and pick up his field in the stretch.

Billy Bruen, beloved of the South Side pickers, made his debut yesterday on a metropolitan track. Bruen left one or two or perhaps more horses at the post at Hawthorne, but then what starter in the world does not do such things occasionally?

In the last race of the day Bruen had seventeen horses to handle. He sent them off, to use the argot of the poolroom, "in a bunch."

Bruen's attempt to show the uselessness of the recall flag is, at least, a plucky one. Nothing succeeds like success, and it is dollars to Spanish paper money that the stockily built product of the premier electric light track of the world will put the recall flag out of the business.

As indicated in Monday's Post-Dispatch, young Mr. Tod Sloan is engaged in the antiquated but oft attempted trick of biting off more than he can chew. Sloan attemped to ride two horses in one race at Saratoga last Saturday. As a consequence Sloan has good chance to come to the ground. The only thing that will save him is that the man he fooled, J. E. Seagrave, is such a thoroughbred turf man that rather than hurt the sport of kings in any way he will not ask the stewards to pass upon Sloan's double dealing.

In the 76 races run at Harlem during the last two weeks "Tommy" Burns had 69 mounts, finishing first 25 times, second 16 times and third five times. He rode unplaced in 23 races. Burns leads the following list of jockeys who have ridden a winner in the last two weeks:

	Mounts.	1st	2d.	3d.	Unpl.
Burns	69	25	16	5	23
J. Reiff	21	6	4	2	9
Turner	39	6	5	7	21
Thorpe	33	5	10	8	10
Bloss	18	4	1	1	12
Cary	29	4	3	3	19
Everett	35	4	3	6	19
McNickle	32	4	5	8	15
Conley	36	3	4	6	21
Kidley	19	2	1	2	14
H. Martin	4	2		1	1
Shields	17	2	1	1	13
Holden	3	1			2
Hart	12	1	1	3	7
Knight	6	1	1	2	2
Rose	20	1	2	3	14
L. Reiff	5	1			2
Van Dusen	11	1	3	3	4
J. Woods	14	1		2	11

"Tony" Licalzi, with $1580 to his credit, leads the following list of owners who have won the sum of $500 or more during the Harlem meeting:

T. Licalzi	$16800	J. Huffman	$850
Foster Brothers	1575	Doyle & McGuire	775
F. W. Doss	1360	F. H. Ryan	750
Burns & W.	1350	W. K. Gureland	750
T. C. McDowell	1350	M. Jordan	725
J. W. Schorr & Son	1300	J. E. Murphy	700
E. O. Pepper	1250	Middleton & J.	675
Duke & Wishard	1050	Simms & A.	675
W. H. Landermann	1025	J. W. O'Neall	600
E. Wishard	875	Bradley & G.	500

Jockey Charley Thorpe is having hard luck with that "bum lamp" of his. He has been hit twice in the eye with hard clods and he is nearly blind now.

THE HARNESS HORSES.

Chat About Patchen, Gentry, Star Pointer and Other Flyers.

President Aull, of the St. Louis Fair Association leaves for the East on the noon train to-day and will try and bring that John R. Gentry-Joe Patchen race back with him.

If Star Pointer's record of 1:59¼ is to be beaten this year the pacers had better hurry up and get a move on themselves as the season is fast nearing a close.

The Grand Circuit races at Fort Wayne were postponed yesterday on account of rain.

Joe Patchen, the pacing wonder and Frank Agan are entered in the free-for-all pace to be brought off a the Dubuque meeting in August.

Burlington Route to Kansas City.

DOUGLAS AND RYAN.

THOSE TWO GOOD MEN IN TRAINING FOR THEIR BATTLE AT LOUISVILLE.

M'COY ROASTS CORBETT.

The Kid Says Pompadour Jim Is a Wind Bag and That He Will Give Him a Good Licking.

The fight between Bob Douglas of St. Louis and Australian Tommy Ryan, to take place at Louisville on Aug. 25 promises to be a corker.

Ryan is a tip top man at his weight, and Douglas, it may be said, has never yet fairly faced defeat.

On different occasions referees have decided against him, but when they did that he was always on his feet and ready to give as good as was sent.

Douglas went into training yesterday and he will be in great shape when the time comes for his meeting with Ryan.

Like McCoy, Douglas is a born fighter, and one who is always in condition. He has always been a temperate man and does not even touch tobacco. When he fought Tommy Tracy St. Louisans prophecied a licking for him, but Douglas had the best of that mill all through, and had it been to a finish he would have won, sure. Tracy was the cleverer, of course, but his blows had no more effect on Douglas than the dropping of water on a duck's back.

In his training Douglas takes long walks, uses light dumb bells, punches the bag and spars occasionally with any good boxer that happens along.

Ryan and the Louisville folks are looking for a picnic when Douglas steps into the ring with their man, but Robert may fool them.

Kid McCoy appears to despise Jim Corbett and never loses an opportunity to pour a shot into that individual.

He says in a recent letter: "I feel confident that I will best Corbett. I sincerely hope that my defeat of him will put him out of the business. He is a verifiable wind bag and is doing more talking that all the fighters put together. His criticisms of Fitz are ridiculous. Corbett is posing and four-flushing as the champion. Of course he is not. I have endeavored to make it plain that I do not look upon our contest (Corbett's and mine) as a championship contest. I would be silly if I did so look upon it. Fitz is the champion, of course, and I expect, after defeating Corbett, to fight Fitz for the championship.

"I am working harder than I ever did before for any pugilistic engagement. I feel stronger and better, and, in my opinion, am fit at this moment to do battle and give a good account of myself with Corbett or with any other man. This afternoon I weighed a shade over 167 pounds stripped. I am so sunburned that they tell me here I look like a sure enough Indian.

"As to the challenge issued a few days ago by Bob Fitzsimmons I can see nothing wrong with it. It strikes me as being all right. I think it has the right ring. I am glad to see that he intends re-entering the ring. If I am victorious over Corbett in our meeting at Buffalo I shall use every effort and will certainly be pleased to make a match with Fitzsimmons on the conditions he names."

Steps will be taken by "Tom" Sharkey and "Gus" Ruhlin, the pugilists, to recover money which they claim is due them from the Greater New York Athletic Club. Sharkey's claim is for $2480.

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A PEEP AT ENTRIES.

ALL SORTS OF ATHLETES WILL TRY FOR THE IRISH NATIONALISTS PRIZES.

A GREAT MEETING ASSURED.

Holland, Fleming, Hellmich, Burch, Wienecker and Leahy Are Only a Few of the Cracks on the List.

Field sports and athletics are receiving a decided boom just now through the efforts of the Irish Nationalists.

The athletic games which they are to give at their annual picnic at the Fair Grounds next Sunday afternoon and the liberal prizes which they offer to competing athletes has awakened the latter, and all hands are in training now so as to be able to carry off some of the rich plums offered by this great Celtic organization.

The entries for Sunday's events closed last Saturday, and a stolen glance at them shows that the list is the greatest ever obtained for an athletic meet held in or near this city.

The long list indicates that the conditions too suited the local colony of athletes to the letter.

The athletes in this vicinity have been very fortunate in having a major amount of pleasant weather to train under, and are farther advanced in their training than they have been at this time in previous years.

The top notchers who will figure as contenders are in the pink of condition, and records will be hung up if not passed in every contest on the big card of events.

James L. Fleming, the fastest half-miler and mile man the Mound City has ever developed, has been training for the quarter and half-mile for some time, and is in the very best condition. It is not amiss to say that the hardy Scotchman will have one of the most difficult tasks he has ever had assigned him to defeat the crack fields he will encounter in the quarter and half-miles at the Nationalists games.

Fleming has been doing his preparatory work on the St. Louis Athletic Club grounds at Forest Park. He is about 5 feet 8 inches and weighs about 160 pounds in condition. His age is about 25 years.

Herman Wienecke and George E. Hellmich are two names familiar to all athletic enthusiasts of several years back. The strong inducements offered for Sunday's games has caused the two old-time Missouri Amateur Athletic Club and old Olympic Club stars to train and their presence in the games has caused considerable trepidation in the ranks of the local athletes of this era.

J. Lewis Holland, the star performer of the western division and the sixteen States of this territory, is doing a little light preliminary work for the two sprint events on the card and will doubtless have a hard battle on his hands to defeat Roy Norton of Carlinville, Ill., and A. G. Hutchinson of St. Louis. These two men have records and unless some fast limit man defeats the lot of them the three mentioned will be in the bunch who will go for the final.

The quarter mile run has Burch C. Hopkins, Julius Enslin, Jr., Herman Wienecke and James L. Fleming the choices, but there are 10 others in the awful hard race who will have something to say.

Dan Leahy is the choice in the 56-pound weight put, with seven good ones entered. Fred Wagner, Herman Wienecke and F. T. Bokern appear to be the contenders.

The running broad has 15 entered, with Herman Wienecke looking to have the best chance. The hurdle, at 220 yards over 10 flights, is a scratch event, with no one looking to have a better chance than another. Ten start in it.

The obstacle race at one-fifth of a mile has seventeen good men entered. That good, all-round athlete, John C. Meyers, is in the event, and has as good a chance as any one, apparently.

The sack race, at 150 yards over 10-inch hurdles, is a decided novelty. This handicap event has nine entered, and has a very open aspect.

The relay race will be a decidedly interesting event, and has filled. The greased pole walking event has eight good athletes entered.

The pole is suspended over a large tank of water. The event will be a very ludicrous affair, creating intense excitement.

The running high jump is one of the feature events, calling for skill, strength and speed. It has filled well.

The three-legged race has 12 couples entered, all of the best sprinting timber—a decidedly interesting and novel event.

Taken all in all the most successful field day will be brought off in the local annals.

CHAFF FOR CYCLISTS.

The Indianapolis Meet of the L. A. W. Opens To-Day.

The Indianapolis meet of the L. A. W. may be said to open to-day, when the visiting wheelmen are to be given a reception at the State House and a banquet at the Marion Club.

The programme in full for to-day is as follows:

Morning, 9 o'clock—Opening at headquarters at Tomlinson Hall, Delaware and Market streets; registration of visiting wheelmen; issuing of souvenirs; assignment to hotels and boarding houses; special trips over the cycle paths.

Evening, 8 o'clock—Address by Gov. Mount and concert at State House. Washington street and Capital avenue; reception at Marion Club; 9:30, press banquet.

The St. Louis cyclists, who left here on their wheels Saturday for Indianapolis, reached that city last night. The party consisted of M. J. Gilbert, chairman of the Road Book Committee of Missouri; W. M. Butler, ex-treasurer of the Missouri Division; E. B. Shultz and John R. Shultz. They will remain there during the entire meet. Mr. Shultz of the delegation says that St. Louis will send over 50 wheelmen, and as many more will come from throughout the state.

Billy Laing, in communication, says the National Circuit Meet to be held at Athletic Park on August 20, under the auspices of the St. Louis Cycle Racing Association, will be a corker.

The races will commence at 3 p. m. and will be run on the five-lap board track.

Entry fee is 50 cents for each event, and must accompany entry.

Entries for handicap and novice races close Saturday, Aug. 13, and for open races on Wednesday, Aug. 17, with W. P. Laing, St. Louis, Mo.

The programme includes the following events:

One-mile, national championship, professional—First prize, $150; second prize, $50; third prize, $25.

One-half mile, handicap, professional—First prize, $100; second prize, $50; third prize, $20.

Two miles, handicap, professional—First prize, $75; second prize, $30; third prize, $20.

One mile, handicap, amateur—First prize, $25, diamond; second prize, $10, ring; third prize, $5, ring.

aHlf mile, handicap, amateur—First prize, $25, diamond; second prize, $10, ring; third prize, $5, ring.

OBSEQUIES OF ARNOLD BURGESS.

The Veteran Bench Show Judge Is Laid to Rest This Morning.

The funeral of Arnold Burgess took place from his late home at Edgebrook, St. Louis County, at 9 o'clock this morning. There were services at the Church of the Redeemer in Webster Grove, and the remains were taken from there to Calvary Cemetery. Mr. Burgess was known to all dog fanciers and kennel men the world over. He was associated with Mr. Charles Lincoln in the bench shows given here nearly a score of years ago, and he was considered the best judge of hunting dogs that ever lived. Mr. Burgess was also interested recently in the coursing meets held in St. Louis County. He was 71 years of age at the time of his death, and had lived in St. Louis County the last year of his life.

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Plates—White, with fancy edge, Cake or Bread Plates—regular 10c quality—choice from 9 to 12 *Wednesday* 2c

Meat Dishes of White Porcelain—Individual Meat Dishes—regular price 10c—for the three hours *Wednesday* 3c

Pans—10-quart Milk Pans of heavy block tin, that sell regularly for 15c—from 9 to 12 *Wednesday* 5c

Silk Remnants—Choice of all our 25c to 35c Plain and Figured Changeable Silk Remnants in lengths of 1 to 10 yards—long as they last from 9 to 12 *Wednesday* 10c

Pastry Board of hardwood, side rims, so flour, etc., will not fall off—best and latest—good size—worth 50c—from 9 to 12 *Wednesday* 25c

Belts—For Vacation, Everyday, School, etc., Wear—plaids, fancy and plain—leather and metal buckles, worth to 25c—to clear out quick, choice from 9 to 12 *Wednesday*—2 for 5c or, each 2½c

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Shirts—Small lot of broken lines Men's French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, well made, nice fitting, collar, pearl buttons, regular 48c quality, choice for the three hours *Wednesday* 17c

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COL. BATDORF'S COMMISSION.

Gov. Stephens Makes Public Letters From Battalion Adjutants.

Gov. Stephens has made public letters from Lieut. Giboney Houck and Adjutant Hickman, and cites them as his reason for refusing to issue commissions to Col. Batdorf of the First Missouri and Lieutenant-Colonel Cavender.

The letters but reiterate statements made in the Post-Dispatch at the time concerning the manner in which several young St. Louisans were treated when they arrived at Chickamauga.

Soon after the First Regiment was ordered away from Jefferson Barracks Gov. Stephens appointed several battalion adjutants and instructed them to report to Camp Thomas.

It was pointed out in the Post-Dispatch at the time that the Governor was not permitted by either Federal or State laws to make such appointments. The question was referred to Washington, and the contention raised by the Post-Dispatch was sustained.

Meanwhile the battalion adjutants went to Chickamauga in good faith. There they were treated to much ridicule. Several interviews published in the Post-Dispatch at the time bore this out, and the letters made public by the Governor are only in corroboration.

Col. Batdorf, when shown copies of the letters Monday night, denied the truth of certain clauses in them, but would not enter a general denial as to their contents.

The question of the Colonel's commission is still hanging fire.

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BOY—Wanted, situation by boy of 18 for grocery store. Ad. 4525 Labadie av.

BOY—Wanted, position by a boy where there is chance for advancement. Ad. W 87, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Boy 15 years old would like steady place in bakery and confectionery; has had some experience. Ad. A 71, Post-Dispatch.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 2313 Montgomery, st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general work; references required. 4035 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. 3427 Laclede av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 3019 Dillon st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; good wages. 2920 Gamble st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good pay for suitable girl. 4458 West Belle pl.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Thoroughly reliable Christian woman, church member, middle aged, without children or incumbrance; must be good manager and cook; long engagement; good home; references required. Call at 2829 Easton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for housework; no washing or ironing. 1800 S. 9th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework, two in family. 2905A St. Vincent av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1305A S. 14th st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework in a small family. 5083 Minerva av., 3 blocks south of Easton av.

HOUSEGIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls for general housework; German preferred. Call at 1524 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good white girl for general housework. 4430A West Belle pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1314 Taylor av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 3637 Finney av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—16-year-old girl to assist with light housework and care for child. 3869 Page av.

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14 words or less, 20c.

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14 words or less, 20c.

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14 words or less, 20c.

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PARTNER WANTED—In good established cash business; experience not necessary. 1903 Franklin av.

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HIGHEST cash price paid for furniture, pianos, carpets, feather beds. Wolf, 18 S. 11th st.

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A. B. C. HOTEL—110-112 N. Broadway—Rooms at 25c, 50c and $1; baths free.

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CHOUTEAU AV., 1006—2 nicely furnished 2d-story rooms for housekeeping, $3; also single room, $1.75.

CARR ST., 1909—Have changed hands; nicely furnished rooms, complete for light housekeeping; reasonable.

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LACLEDE AV., 3527—Newly furnished rooms; all conveniences.

LUCAS AV., 3336—Newly furnished front and other desirable rooms; so. exp.; all conv.

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LOCUST ST., 2814—Large furnished front room, with alcove; also connecting rooms.

MORGAN ST., 2206—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; $2 per week; also hall room, $1.25.

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PINE ST., 2646 TO 2652—Apartments furnished for housekeeping; $7 to $13; refs. required.

PAPIN ST., 1559—Corner 17th—Nicely furnished room and kitchen, with water, $2 a week.

PINE ST., 1406—Nicely furnished rooms for gents or light housekeeping, $1 week and up.

PINE ST., 1311—Nicely furnished rooms for gents or light housekeeping, $1 per week and up.

PINE ST., 2902—Corner house; nicely furnished parlor, 1st floor; also housekeeping room, 2d floor.

PINE ST., 1604—Furnished rooms, $1.25 to $2 per week; gents or light housekeeping.

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TWELFTH ST., 113 N.—Nicely furnished rooms for gents or light housekeeping, $1 week and up.

TWENTIETH ST., 826 N.—Large 2d-story front room, furnished or unfurnished.

WELLS AV., 5545E—3 rooms; bath and laundry; 2d floor; rent reduced. Inquire at 5066 Minerva.

WEST CHESTNUT ST., 2846—Elegantly furnished front rooms; low rents.

WASH ST., 1503—Basement room, nicely furnished for light housekeeping.

WASHINGTON AV., 1107—Newly furnished rooms for gentlemen; $1 to $2.25.

WEST END PL., 502—Beautiful newly furnished house; rooms for ladies, gents or couples.

WASH ST., 1807—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences; also parlor for 2.

WASHINGTON AV., 2930—Nicely furnished rooms, $10 and $12 month; gas, hot and cold bath.

WASHINGTON AV., 1302—Second floor front and back rooms, $2.50 to $3; also basement room, $1.

WASHINGTON AV., 2643—2d-story front room, furnished or unfurnished.

WASH ST., 1818—Newly furnished rooms, with running water, for sleeping or housekeeping; cheap.

WEST CHESTNUT ST., 2721—2 elegant connecting front rooms, furnished nicely for light housekeeping; $3; bath private.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.
14 Words or Less, 10c.

BOARD—Elegant furnished room, with breakfast, in private family, West End; modern conveniences. Ad. N 87, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD—Large, pleasant newly furnished room, with or without board, in family of 2 for 1 or 2 gents; convenient and desirable location; terms reasonable. Ad. K 86, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD—Room and board for Jewish young man; strictly private; 3 adults in family; fine room; southern exposure; on Olive st. cars; near Forest Park. Ad. F 86, Post-Dispatch.

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ROOMS WITH BOARD.
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CLARK AV., 2832—Back parlor, $6 per month; gas, hot bath; meals if desired.

DELMAR AV., 3850—Large 2d-floor front room, with good board, for 2 adults; reasonable.

DELMAR AV., 3822—Second-story back room, southern exposure, with excellent board.

DOLMAN ST., 1117—Handsomely furnished rooms, with or without board; good location; German table.

FINNEY AV., 4353—Board and 2 connecting rooms; southern exposure; terms reasonable; private fam.

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MORGAN ST., 4050—2 connecting 2d-story front rooms; single or en suite, with board.

OLIVE ST., 4269—Furnished front rooms, with good board for two.

OLIVE ST., 3010—Furnished front and back rooms, single; gent or couple; board.

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PINE ST., 3226—Beautiful rooms; hot bath; all convs.; excellent board; choice location.

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WASHINGTON AV., 2937—Nicely fur. rooms, with board; first-class service.

WASHINGTON AV., 2837—Handsomely furnished rooms, with table board; moderate terms.

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WASHINGTON AV., 3138—Newly furnished room, with board; reasonable.

WEST CHESTNUT ST., 3528 (near Grand)—Furnished rooms; superior table; hot and cold bath; reasonable.

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BOARD WANTED—By married couple, room for 2 and board for 1; near Jefferson av. Ad. B 88, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD WANTED—Lady bookkeeper desires room and board; small family; West End. Ad. B 89, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD WANTED—Gentleman and wife desire 2d-story front room with board, in refined private family, where there are no children and few if any other boarders; location between Lindell and Cook, west of Grand; refs. exchanged if desired; please state terms, etc. Ad. H 86, Post-Dispatch.

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CHELTENHAM AV., 6440—3 large rooms, only $5 month.

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FOURTEENTH ST., 1124 N.—2 nice 3-room flats, 1st and 2d floor.

FINNEY AV., 4032—4 rooms for colored; city water; open for inspection. Loring, 506 Olive.

FOURTEENTH ST., 1833 S.—Elegant new 4-room flats, for rent cheap.

FINNEY AV., 3940—3 rooms, gas fixtures, bath, w. c., hot and cold water, $15; lower 4 rooms, gas fixtures, w. c., $14; key 3936.

KENNERLY AV., 3928—Choice flat, 3 rooms; only $9. Harris & Wengler, 927 Chestnut st.

M'NAIR AV., 2408—4 rooms with basement; large yard. Inquire 2410; $11.

MAFFITT AV., 4328—One, two, three or five rooms for colored; open. Loring, 506 Olive.

MORGAN FORD RD., 3162—5-room flat; only $

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PERSONAL—Percy: Be sure and meet me at the big cakewalk at Koerner's Park Theater on Thursday night. Maud.

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SURRENDER MADE TO JUDGE PEABODY.

The Couple Appear in Police Court and Promise to Cease Practicing if Their Fines Are Remitted.

The famous Armour-Burke early morning concerts will be discontinued. No more will the sounds of one piano producing chords and another producing scales mingle in the early dawn and arouse the ire of those persons living near Olive street and Leffingwell avenue, who fain would sleep.

The fair Miss Armour and the persistent Mr. Burke, who for months have never missed a morning's practice, have capitulated. They have bowed to the decree of Judge Peabody's court and will not only stop their music, but will move away from the neighborhood.

Monday morning Judge Peabody fined Miss Armour $10 and Burke $20, on the charge of disturbing the peace.

After thinking the matter over they concluded they would give up the fight. Judge Peabody offered Monday to stay the fines of the defendants if they would cease their practicing.

They indignantly declined any such a proposition. They wanted to be vindicated and through their attorney announced they could take an appeal.

Tuesday Attorney Claiborne entered the Police Court and said his clients had concluded to withdraw their appeal. They would accept Judge Peabody's decision as final and take advantage of the stay of execution.

This incident is expected to close a case that has now become famous.

FOR A BOULEVARD.

PUBLIC HEARING ON THE QUESTION OF WIDENING TWELFTH STREET.

The majority of the affected property owners are in favor of the widening of Twelfth street under conditions which will impose the least hardship.

This was shown at the public hearing on the proposition held by the Board of Public Improvements Tuesday morning.

The hearing was on the board's motion for the widening of Twelfth street from Market street to Chouteau avenue and of High street from Franklin to Cass avenue.

About 100 property owners attended. Some came to protest and a number of protests were filed, but most of the speakers declared they would not be against the improvement provided that the cost was equitably distributed.

There was also a disposition to insist that the opening and widening of the street south to Chouteau avenue and north to Cass avenue in one comprehensive scheme. The sentiment of a great many was voiced by John P. Heinrich, ex-member of the House of Delegates.

"Widening the street a piece at a time," he said, "will entail great hardship. At each widening benefits are assessed against the fronting property. The lots are shallow now. Half of them will be swallowed up in benefits and the rest will be taxed for the final widening. We will have a fine boulevard but no property left. The street should be opened and widened all at once and the benefits assessed on all the contiguous property."

There were a good many who were against the proposition in all respects. These were insistent and at times Commissioner Holoman, who was acting as president, had all he could do to keep the two sides from arguing it about among themselves.

Among those who spoke in favor of the scheme were T. J. Lynam, ex-member of the House of Delegates; B. Christman, W. A. Hobein, G. W. Rilly, Henry Sessinghaus, H. Albers and C. L. Hammerstein of the House of Delegates.

Citizen Fink was conspicuous among the objectors.

The matter was referred to the committee without recommendation.

There were hearings also on the following:

For opening Seventh street, from Bates street to Iron street.

For opening Ninth street, from Eichelberger street to Kansas street.

For opening east and west alley in city block 4400A, from Euclid avenue to King's highway and between Lotus avenue and Cote Brilliante avenue.

For opening Wilmington road, from Grand avenue to Gravois avenue.

For opening Semple avenue, from Easton avenue to Minerva avenue.

Friday morning the board will give a hearing on motions to reconstruct 17 streets in the central part of the city.

TWO TAKEN FROM THE RIVER.

Bodies of Unidentified Men Now on Slabs at the Morgue.

The bodies of two unidentified men are on slabs at the Morgue. They were found in the river early Tuesday morning.

One body is that of a man about 60 years old. It was found at the foot of Haven street. The man was dressed in a black coat and vest, light gray-striped trousers, brogan shoes and a white striped cotton shirt. He had a full beard of gray and gray hair. The body had evidently been in the water two or three days.

The other body was that of a man about 25 or 30 years old. It was found at the foot of Victor street. There was not a stitch of clothing on the body, which was so swollen as to be unrecognizable. The man's hair was blonde and a small blonde mustache was on his lip.

There were no marks of violence to be seen on either body.

MISSOURI PHOTOGRAPHERS.

They Are Now Holding Their Annual Convention and Election.

CHILLICOTHE, Mo., Aug. 9.—The fifth annual meeting of the Photographers' Association of Missouri convened in Chillicothe this morning for a three days' session. The address of welcome was delivered by Hon. W. D. Leeper and President Robertson of St. Louis delivered his annual address.

THE FATHER OF GREENBACKERS

Death of Alexander Campbell at His Home at La Salle, Ill.

LA SALLE, Ill., Aug. 9.—Ex-Congressman Alexander Campbell, known as the father of the greenbackers, is dead.

THE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 9.

The market opened weak and lower on both wheat and corn this morning. The factor in wheat was larger receipts, the principal feature in putting the market up or down daily these days. On better receipts, promising freer crop movement, prices opened ½c lower and declined ¼c more. Then on estimates of to-morrow's receipts being lighter prices advanced to within ¼c of yesterday's close., which was the situation at 11:30, but there was little support to the market, and the indications were then for a falling off rather than any further recovery.

Private wire to A. C. Petri: New York—Prime says: "Delightful week of weather in interior and Northwest. Corn had hardest row to hoe. Do not look for more than three-quarters of an average crop, provided we have no early front. Spring wheat harvest commenced in Northern portions of spring wheat belt. Fairly good quantity and quality."

On passage, wheat and flour—To United Kingdom, 1,860,000 bu; to Continent, 880,000 bu. Corn—To United Kingdom, 680,000 bu; to Continent, 890,000 bu.

Estimated receipts at Chicago to-morrow—Wheat, 93 cars; corn, 325 cars; oats, 222 cars.

Total clearances—Wheat and flour equal 446,000 bu; corn, 525,000 bu; oats, 97,000 bu.

Closing cables:

Paris—Wheat, 5 cms higher to 35 cms lower. Flour, 10 cms to 60 cms lower.

Antwerp—Wheat, 12½ cms higher.

Liverpool—Wheat closes 1¾d lower; corn 3d lower; both affected by American advices. Weather favorable for wheat crop.

World's shipments—Wheat, this week, 5,671,000 bu; week before, 5,880,000 bu; same week last year, 6,802,000 bu. Corn, this week, 4,977,000 bu; week before, 3,956,000 bu; last year 4,048,000 bu.

Private wire to Leftwich Commission Co.: Yesterday's sale by Peavy of 500,000 bu wheat to Minneapoli's was to millers. There is left a very little at Duluth, but yesterday transactions put into the hands of the flour millers practically all the 3,500,000 bu which was at Duluth and Minneapolis.

Minneapolis reports the sale of 80,000 bbls of flour yesterday for deferred shipment.

Chicago receipts—Wheat, 290 cars, of which five only were contract; corn, 970 cars, of which 512 contract; oats, 437 cars, 55 contract.

Regular Cash Market Prices.

	Tuesday.	Monday.	Year Ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	70 @71 b	70 b	84½
No. 3 red	.....	.....	80 b
No. 4 winter	.....	.....	75 b
CORN.			
No. 2	32½b	32½b25	6(25½b
No. 2 white	.....	.....	25½b
No. 3	.....	.....	.....
OATS.			
No. 2	.....	.....	17 b
No. 3	.....	.....	.....

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Tuesday.	Monday.	Year Ago.
Wheat	160,155	160,670	331,777
Corn	224,926	214,758	76,027
Oats	17,004	3,522	17,060
Rye	900	1,026	5,634
Barley			
No 2 red wheat	29,071	29,515	102,801
No 2 hard wheat	46,031	46,031	6,085
No 2 mixed corn	73,808	67,642	12,711
No 2 white	3,839	2,202	36,129
No 2 mixed oats	.....	2,438	.....
No 2 white	.....	.....	1,627
No 2 rye	.....	36	4,551

Future Prices.

	Closing Monday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing Tuesday.
WHEAT.				
Aug	69	70 a	68¾b	68¾b
Sept	67¼a	67¼	66¾	67¼
Dec	66¾b	66¾	65⅞	66¼a
CORN.				
Aug	32¼b	32⅝a	32⅜	32⅝a
Sept	32½	32⅝b	31⅝a	32⅛b
Dec	32¼@32⅜	32⅝	32	32¼@32⅜
OATS.				
Aug	23¼b	21⅛a	21 b	21 b
Sept	21½	21⅝a	21 b	.....
Dec	24 b	24¼a	24 b	24 b

CHICAGO—Reported by Gaylord, Blessing & Co.

WHEAT.				
Sept	66⅝	66¾	65⅞	66⅜b
CORN.				
Sept	33½	33¾	32⅝@33⅛	33⅜ a
OATS.				
Sept	21	20⅝@21	20⅜@20⅝	20⅞
PORK.				
Sept	$8 87½	$8 90	$8 80	$8 85
LARD.				
Sept	5 25	5 22½	5 17½	5 22½
RIBS.				
Sept	5 12½@15	5 17½	5 05@07½	5 17½

CHICAGO CLOSE.

CHICAGO—Wheat—Aug., 70¼c b; Sept., 66⅝c b; Dec., 65¾c a; May, 67⅞c a. Corn—Aug., 32½c b; Sept., 33c a; Dec., 33⅝c b; May, 36⅜@36¾c. Oats—Aug., 20⅝c n; Sept., 20⅝c; May, 23⅝c. Flax—Northwest, 91c; Sept., 89¼c; Oct., 89¼c.

CURB MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 9, 2:30 p. m.—Wheat—Sept., 67⅝@67⅜c b; puts, 66⅜c; calls, 68¼c. Corn—Sept., 32½c b; puts, 32¼@32⅜c; calls, 33⅜c.

CHICAGO—Sept., wheat, 66⅜c b; puts, 65¾@65⅞c a; calls, 67½@67¼c. Corn, 33c a; puts, 32¾c; calls, 33⅛c.

WHEAT.

The market opened weak and lower on the strength of better receipts. The opening was ⅝c off and there was a further decline of ⅛c, but there was a rally of ⅝c on indications of lighter receipts to-morrow, but still, later on, the market weakened and went below the lowest point of the first decline.

Cables were lower in response to American advices.

Selling orders from the Northwest put the New York market down early.

Receipts of wheat at primary points to-day were 437,200 bu, compared with 682,546 bu same date last year. Shipments were 329,483 bu, compared with 848,874 bu same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at St. Louis to-day were 47,180 bu, compared with 97,450 bu same date last year. Of these receipts 6958 sks and 43 cars were local, compared with 5470 sks and 121 cars same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day were 49 cars, compared with 469 cars same date last year.

Receipts at Kansas City 133 cars, against 247 cars same day last year.

Of Chicago receipts, nearly 400 cars, to-day only graded contract.

Toledo receipts 100 cars, compared with 179,000 bu same day last year.

Local pit range:

Sept. opened at 66¾c, declined ⅛c and then gained to 66⅞c, declined to 66½c and got back to 66¾c, then declined to 65¾c and again reached ⅞c, then it was run down quickly to 65¼c, from which it climbed to the highest point of the day—67¼c, at which it closed.

Dec. opened at 65¾c, advanced to 66¼c, then went down to 65¼c, recovered to 65⅝c, went down to 65¾@65⅞c and again advanced to 66¼c n at the close.

Spot Grades—At the call 70c was bid for No. 2 Consolidated. 71c Advance; offered regular at 74c. In the sample market No. 2 was quoted at 73@74c n, but little was in the market; No. 3 sold from 70c to 72c, No. 4 at 66@68c. One car of No. 2 soft spring sold at 70c and No. 2 hard yellow-belly at 70c.

Closing quotations: Aug., 68¾c b; Sept., 67¼c; Dec., 66¼c n; May, 67c b.

CORN.

The market opened weak and lower this morning. The crop reports indicate a better crop than the crop killers have been figuring on, and with the large visible supply and prices so much better than last year at this time it is hard to see how to price up any higher. The opening was ¼c lower than yesterday's close and it was that at 12:30, the variations having been only fractional.

Receipts of corn at primary points to-day were 548,541 bu, as compared with 811,770 bu same date last year. Shipments were 132,621 bu, compared with 667,887 bu same date last year.

Receipts of corn at St. Louis to-day were 53,570 bu, compared with 61,975 bu same date last year. Of these receipts 2228 sks and 41 cars were local, compared with 1830 sks and 37 cars same date last year.

Local pit range:

Sept. opened at 32¼c a, advanced to 32⅝c, then declined to 32c, gained ⅜c and then went to 31⅝c, recovered to 32⅛c b at the close.

Dec. opened at 32⅜c b, advanced to 32⅝c, went back to 32c and recovered to the opening price and a fraction better at the close.

May opened at 33⅝c, declined to 33¼c and closed at 33⅜c b.

Spot grades—At the call 32½c was bid for No. 2 Advance. Other grades neglected. In the sample market 150 sks sold here, sks returned, at 32½c; choice No. 3 sold at 32¼c delivered E. trk; No. 2 white sold at 33½c. No. 3 white at 32c switched.

Closing quotations: Aug., 32⅝c n; Sept., 32¼c b; Dec., 32¼@32½c b; May, 33⅜c b.

OATS.

The market opened dull, no quotations being recorded before the call, when they were ⅛c lower than yesterday's close.

Receipts of oats at primary points to-day were 422,000 bu, as compared with 163,037 bu same date last year.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis to-day were 30,600 bu, compared with 56,705 bu same date last year. Of these —— sacks and 25 cars were local, compared with 511 sacks and 45 cars same date last year.

Local pit range: Sept. was 21c b, 21½c a, and May 24c b, 24¼c a, which were all the quotations of the day.

Spot Grades—At the call oats were entirely neglected. In the sample markets prices were about unchanged for mixed. White a shade easier; No. 2 mixed quoted at 24@24½c; No. 3 sold at 23½c. No 3 white 28@28½c. No. 2 white 29c.

Closing quotations: Aug., 23⅝ n; Sept., 21c b; May, 24c b.

HAY.

Receipts, 380 tons local, 100 tons through; shipments, 80 tons. Market quiet; receipts light, but equal to demand.

Quotations: Timothy—Choice old selling at $11 to $11.50; No. 1, $9@10; No. 2, $7.50@8.50; No. 3, $6@7; new timothy, $6@9. Clover-mixed, $6@8 per ton for average to choice. Choice old clover in good demand at $9@9.50 per ton, but little offered; lower grades are not wanted and sell down as low as $4 per ton. Prairie at from $6.50 to $7 per ton, according to quality.

STRAW—Wheat straw, $4@4.50; rye straw, $5@5.50; oat straw, $4@4.50.

FLOUR AND FEED.

FLOUR—Receipts, 9000 bbls; shipments, 8295 bbls. Market quiet and business light, but better inquiry.

Patents	$3 75@3 90
Straights	3 50@3 65
Clears	3 00@3 40
Lower grades	2 25@2 75
Pearl meal, hominy and grits	2 10
Cornmeal	1 80@1 85
Rye flour	2 75@3 00

Old patents and straights held about 30c higher.

BRAN—Quiet. Sacked, 51@52½ E trk, at mill 51 @52c, country points 47@50c, as to location.

PROVISIONS.

PORK—Market weaker; prices lower. Standard pork, $8.90. On orders, 50c per bbl higher.

LARD—Market firm at 5.50c for prime.

BACON—Jobbing sales: Boxed lots—Shoulders, 5¼c; extra short, 5¾c; clear ribs, 6¼c; clear sides, 6¼c. On orders by dealers, ¼c higher.

DRY SALT MEATS—Shoulders, 4¾c; clear sides, 5¾c; clear ribs, 5¾c.

BREAKFAST BACON—On orders, 8½@10c per lb.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—9@10c.

BEEF—Mess, $8.50@10.50 per bbl; dried, 12½@15c; tongues, $6 per doz.

STREET MARKETS.

(The Post-Dispatch quotations are for car-lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled from store goods and are higher. All home-grown vegetables quoted from growers, packages not included. Packages and packing charges added to order lots.)

FRUITS.

NEW APPLES—20c to 30c per 1-3-bu box; common, 60c per barrel; $1.50@2 per bbl. 40@75c per bu loose; choice to fancy, $2.50 to $3 per bbl.

PEARS—20@40c per ½-bu basket; choice eating, 40@50c; $1.50@2 per bbl; sugar pears, $1.75@2 per bbl.

ORANGES—California late Valencias, $3.25 to $3.50; Mediterranean sweets, $2.75 to $3.00.

PLUMS—50c per crate; shipments wild geese, 30c per peck basket; damsons, 50@60c per ½-bu basket.

PEACHES—Receipts fair; market overstocked. Illinois, Missouri, Arkansas and Tennessee selling at 20@40c per 1-3-bu box, 10@30c per peck, 25@60c per ½-bu basket, crates 50@80c; Southern Illinois, 60@80c for 4-basket crate; home-grown varieties, 25@50c per ½-bu basket, as to quality.

CHERRIES—From Michigan, 50@1.10 per 4-gal case sound; damaged much less.

BARTLETT PEARS—40-lb boxes, choice, $1.75 to $2.25.

CALIFORNIA EGG PLUMS—$1.25@1.50 per 20-lb case.

WORTLEBERRIES—Michigan, $1@1.25 per 4-gal case.

LEMONS—Scarce; market steady; new Messina, gal case, dull and neglected.

NEW GRAPES—Southern Ives 25@40c per 4-lb; $5.50 to $6. California, $4.75 to $5.25.

LIMES—Dominica, $1.

basket crate; Delawares, $1.25@1.75 per 6-basket crate; home-grown, 15@20c per 10-lb.

GRAPE FRUIT—$2.25@2.50 per box.

BANANAS—On orders, medium bunches, $1@1.40; choice large, $1.65; Jumbo, $1.75.

WATERMELONS—Missouri melons, $25@50 a car; in a jobbing way, $3@8 per 100.

COCOANUTS—$25 per 1000, or $3 per 100.

CANTALOUPES—25@50c per bushel; 50@75c per basket; Dewey gems, 25c per basket; $1.25 crate.

DRIED FRUIT.

APPLES—New stocks evaporated scarce at 1½@8c per lb.

PEACHES—Sun-dried halves, 1½@1¾c per lb.

GREEN CORN—Home-grown, larger receipts; 6@10c per dozen.

NEW POTATOES—Home-grown, farmers' bulk, 40@45c. Receipts lighter.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown, 75@50c per bu loose, $2.75 a bbl shipping order.

CABBAGE—Home-grown from wagons, crates, on orders, 90c; barrels, 50c.

TURNIPS—35@50c per bu for home-grown; $1.25 per bbl, shipping order.

CARROTS—Home-grown, per dozen bunches, 15@25c.

BEETS—Home grown, 15@20c per doz bunches.

HORSERADISH—$4 per bbl for home-grown on orders.

TOMATOES—Market higher; receipts lighter; consignments not wanted. Home-grown from growers' hands, packages not included, 35@40c per bu for ripes; for green and half ripes, 40@50c.

CUCUMBERS—Lighter supply. Home-grown, 30@35c per bu, without packages; consignments not wanted; will not bring charges.

CAULIFLOWER—Consignments, 90c@$1 per box of 1 doz.

ASPARAGUS—Hand bunches, 75@80c.

PARSNIPS—$2 per bbl for washed, $1.75 for unwashed; 65@75c per bu.

RADISHES—Home-grown, 12½@15c per dozen bunches.

CELERY—Good supply and slow sale at 10 to 20c per bunch.

SQUASH—Home-grown, 35@40c per bu.

STRING BEANS—Consignments not wanted; offered for express charges; home-grown, 35@50c per bu. loose.

KALE—Home-grown, 75@$1 per bbl.

GUMBO—Home-grown, 85c per peck for small; 60c for large.

EGGS—Firmer; fully supplying demand at 40@50c per case for cox.

EGGS.

Receipts, 1858 cases; shipments, 905 cases.

Market steady at 10c for fresh receipts. All sales "loss off" unless otherwise stated.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

BUTTER—Firm and in demand; stocks small.

Creamery—		Dairy—	
Extra Elgin	19¼@20	Extras	16½@17
Firsts	18 @19	Firsts	14½@15
Seconds	16½@17	Seconds	13 @13
Ladle Packed—		Country Packed—	
Firsts	12 @12½	Good	10 @11
Seconds	10 @11	Seconds	08½ @

CHEESE—Quiet. Wisconsin—Full cream, twins, 9c; singles, 9c; Y. A., 9½c. Southern Wisconsin and Illinois Twins, 7c; singles, 7½c. Young Americas, 9c. Brick from 7c for poor to 10½c for choice Swiss, 12½@15c.

POULTRY, GAME AND VEALS.

LIVE POULTRY—Steady; prices unchanged. Chickens—Hens, 6@6½c for average receipts; roosters, 3½c; spring chickens, receipts fair, at 8½c to 9c. Turkeys very dull and not wanted; quoted at 7@8c for average receipts; spring turkeys as high as 12½c. Geese—Old from 4c to 5c; fat; spring geese, 6c. Ducks, 5@6c, but unsalable this hot weather.

VEALS—Calves—Receipts larger and prices firmer at 5@5½c. Lambs, 4@5c for extra fancy; sheep, 2@3½c per lb.

FROGS—Large, $1 10 per doz; small to medium, 40c.

SHEEPSKINS—Market quiet; green salted, full wool, 60@85c; sma., 30@50c each; dry, 1c@1½c per lb, as to quality and condition.

DEERSKINS, ETC.—Deerskins quotable at 16@17c for prime; damaged half price. Antelope, 12c. Goatskins, 15@25c each.

BEESWAX—Prime steady at 24@24½c.

TALLOW—Market quiet; prime country run at 3¾c; No. 2, 2¾@3c; packers' choice, 4¼@4½c; city rendering, 4½@4¾.

HIDES, PELTS, FEATHERS, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—Quiet.

Green salted, Western	8¾@ 9
Green salted, Arkansas and Southern	8½
Texas and Kansas	8½
Dry flint, heavy Texas	15½
Dry flint, native	15
Dry salted	14
Glue stock, green and dry	4
Green salted, No. 1	9
Green salted, No. 2	8¼
On selections—	
Green salted, No. 1	9¼
Green salted, No. 2	8
Dry salted, No. 1	14
Dry salted, No. 2	10
Dry flint, No. 2	14½
Uncured, 1c per pound less.	

FEATHERS—Quiet. Prime white live geese, small sks, 38c; large sks, 36c; gray and quilly, 30c; white, old, 30@32c; X, 24@26c; XX, 16@18c; XXX, 10@12c; XXXX, 5@6c; take, 26@30 per cent.

TALLOW—Firm; picked 2½c. Dark—Dark at 2½c; white, 30@32c. Turkey—Tall, 20c; wing, 10c; wing and tail pointers, 9c.

GRASS SEEDS AND FLAX.

GRASS SEEDS—Quotations per 100 lbs as follows: Timothy—Spot, $2.40@2.50; Aug., $2.50. Millet—Common, 60@70c; German, 70@90c; Hungarian, 55@70c. Clover, $3@4.50.

FLAXSEED—Receipts, 3000 bu; shipments, 700 bu; 88c bid for spot; no bids to arrive.

WOOL.

Receipts, 135,000 lbs; shipments, 126,020 lbs.

Market firm; little doing.

Missouri, Illinois, etc.—	
Medium combing	19½@20
Medium clothing	18½@19
Braid and low	18 @18½
Light fine	16 @16½
Slightly blurry	15 @15½
Hard burry	12½@13½
Southern and hard burry	10½@11
Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota—	
Bright medium	17½@18
Medium	16½@17½
Fine medium	15 @16
Light fine	13 @14
Heavy fine	11 @12
Texas, Arkansas, Indian Territory, etc.—	
Medium	17½@18
Coarse and low	14 @16
Fine medium	14½@15
Kansas, Nebraska and Western—	
Bright medium	18 @18½
Medium	17½@17
Fine medium	15½@16
Heavy fine	10½@12
Coarse and carpet	10 @14
Tub-washed—	
Choice	27½@28
Fair	26 @27
Black	23 @24
Burry	20 @23
Black, 20c per lb less.	

WHISKY.

Market steady at $1 25 per gallon for distillers' finished goods.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

RAGS, OLD ROPE AND RUBBER—Rags, 50@60c per 100 lbs. Old Rope—No. 1, $1; No. 2, 80c. Old rubber, $3.50.

BONES—Choice bleached, $16 per ton; partly bleached, $10@11; stiney, $8@10; slaughter house stock, $6@10.

COOPERAGE—Slack work—Flour barrels, round hoops 28c, flat hoops 25c; bbls, 28c; meal bbls, 22c; produce bbls, 23c; lard tcs, 87½@91c; half bbls, 40c; pork bbls, 77½@80c per bbl this side and 75c@80c East side.

HONEY—Comb, choice white, 12@12½c per lb; fair, 8@10c per lb; strained or extracted, 4½@6c in cans per lb.

WHITE BEANS—Market steady; $1.18@1.25 per bu for car lots for hand-picked yes beans on trk; $1.05@1.10 for screened; Lima, 3c per lb.

DRIED PEAS—Green Jobbing at 50c per bu. Scotch, 95c; split, $1.35; 6d, 8c per bu less.

BROOMCORN—Quiet. Quote as follows: Good stock at $30 per ton for common to $55 for choice and $60@70 for fancy.

EMPTY BARRELS—Coal oil, gasoline and turpentine, 75c; vinegar, 55c; black oil, 40c; lard oil, 60c; linseed oil, 60c; do ½-bbls, 40c; sugar 15c; whisky, 45c; do ½ bbls, 50c; wine, 75c; sauerkraut, 25c; pickle, 40c; molasses, 25c; lard tcs, 35c.

VEGETABLES.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 9.—Wheat, receipts, 46 cars.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Butter—Receipts, 10,733 pkgs; firm. Western creamery, 14½@19c; Elgin, 19c. Eggs—Receipts, 9079 pkgs; steady. Western, 14½c.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 9.—Close: Wheat quiet; 1½@2 1-8d lower; corn quiet; Aug. nominal; Sept., 3s 9½d; Dec., 3s 5d. Corn steady; ½d lower; Sept., 3s 3½d; Oct., 3s 4½d.

MONEY.

The rates of domestic exchange, as quoted by the A. G. Edwards & Sons Brokerage Co., are as follows:

Rates of interest steady at a range of from 5 per cent on call to 8 per cent outthue loans.

New York—10c discount bid; par asked.

Chicago—10c discount bid; par asked.

Cincinnati—10c discount bid; par asked.

Louisville—25c discount bid; par asked.

New Orleans—40c discount bid; par asked.

St. Louis bank clearings to-day were $3,934,482; balances, $476,357.

UNITED STATES BONDS.

Name.	Int.	Due.	Coupon.	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 2s reg.	2	in coln 1900	Q	Mar.	99¾
U. S. 4s reg.	4	in coln 1907	Q	Jan.	111¼ 112¼
U. S. 4s cp.	4	in coln 1907	Q	Jan.	111¼ 112¼
U. S. 5s reg.	5	in coln 1904	Q	Jan.	111¼ 113
U. S. 5s cp.	5	in coln 1904	Q	Jan.	111¼ 113
U. S. 4s reg.	4	in coln 1925	Q	May	127½ 129½
U. S. 4s cp.	4	in coln 1925	Q	May	127½ 129½

St. Louis Stocks and Bonds.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 9.

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked.
Merchants'-Laclede National	$125 50	114 75
Third National		114 75
St. Louis Trust Co.	153 00	
Union Trust Co.		153 00
Mississippi Valley Trust Co.	102 50	103 00
Edison Electric Illuminating	126 00	127 00
St. Louis & Sub. Ry. bonds	101 50	102 00
Amer. Central Ins. Co.	32 50	
Lindell Ry. common	41 50	43 00
Merchants' Bridge 6s	106 50	
Cotton Compress, scrip	95 00	100 00
Brewery bonds	101 50	
Consolidated Elevator stock		60 00
Hope Mining	

SHOT DOWN FOR A HIGHWAYMAN.

Frank Kaenter Killed by Two O'er-Zealous Officers.

ON THE SEAT OF A MERRELL DRUG CO. WAGON.

HE AND HIS COMPANION ALSO MISTOOK THE POLICEMEN FOR ROBBERS.

IT IS SAID SHOTS WERE FIRED WITHOUT WARNING.

Dead Man's Brother Says He Will Spend All He Possesses to Punish Properly the Careless Guardians of the Law.

Obituary notice inserted by the dead man's friends:

KAENTER—Francis Xavier Kaenter, assassinated by the police Monday evening, 11:30 o'clock.

Due notice of funeral will be given later. 1108 Allen avenue.

The upturned face of Frank Kaenter in a box at the Morgue is the sequel to a startling story of police carelessness.

When Policemen Michael Cremins and Frederick Leinert of the Third District opened a volley of shots upon Kaenter while he was attending to his duties that carried him to Albion place Monday night about 11 o'clock, they did not intend to murder an inoffensive citizen. They jumped at the conclusion that they had found an opportunity to win laurels as sleuths.

There is but slight variation in the several stories related of the killing of Kaenter. He was in charge of a delivery wagon for the Merrell Drug Co., and was sent to deliver some belated orders. He was accompanied by his friend, Fred Burlen. After making the last delivery at a drug store on Park and Jefferson avenues Kaenter started through Albion place on a short cut to the stables. Several burglaries had

FRANK XAVIER KAENTER.

recently been committed in that vicinity and Policemen Cremins and Leinert, not wearing uniforms, had been detailed to watch for suspicious characters.

The officers were standing in the shadow of a tree at the mouth of an alley opening into Albion place, when they saw the two men driving through Albion place. They sprang from behind the tree and rushing in front of the wagon, they say they gave a command to halt. They declare they made known their identity, but this is denied by Burlen, who was on the wagon seat with Kaenter. However that may be, the officers being in plain clothes were mistaken for highwaymen and Kaenter and his companion did the most natural thing under the circumstances when they lashed the horses and tried to escape.

Policeman Leinert fired one shot as soon as Kaenter and Burlen dashed away, while Cremins pursued, firing four shots as he ran. On Lafayette avenue near the park station, Cremins overtook the wagon and found that Kaenter had been shot.

Without any explanation, Burlen, who had escaped the volley, was placed under arrest, while an ambulance was called for Kaenter, who died just as it arrived. Kaentner never spoke after the policeman's bullet struck him.

Night Chief Pickel went to the Lafayette Park Station and arrested the two officers involved in the tragedy.

It being so apparent that the arrest of Burlen was without grounds the prisoner was released at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The two policemen were held nominally as prisoners, but at noon Tuesday had not been subjected to confinement in a cell.

A large crowd of relatives and friends of the deceased called at the Four Courts Tuesday forenoon and were closeted in Chief Campbell's office two or three hours. There was an impenetrable air of secrecy about the chief's office and all inquiries from subordinates brought the response: "I don't know; see the chief."

Frank Burlen, who was sitting beside Kaenter in the wagon when the fatal shot was fired, was a personal friend of the deceased. Burlen was greatly shocked at the tragedy, and his several hours' detention in the Third District Station added to the strain.

"I see no reason why such a mistake should have been made," said Burlen. "I met Frank (meaning Kaenter), about 8 o'clock Monday evening. He told me he had several deliveries to make, and invited me to go with him. I went with several places. We were just turning in for the ni the tragedy occurred. We s officers standing behind a tree with th of an alley as we drove through place. They had on citizens' clothi from the way they eyed us we b the opinion that they were crook thought they might be aiming to h so we decided to get away. The s he story has been told. I think it w second shot that killed Kaenter.

Chief Campbell said to a reporter for the Post-Dispatch:

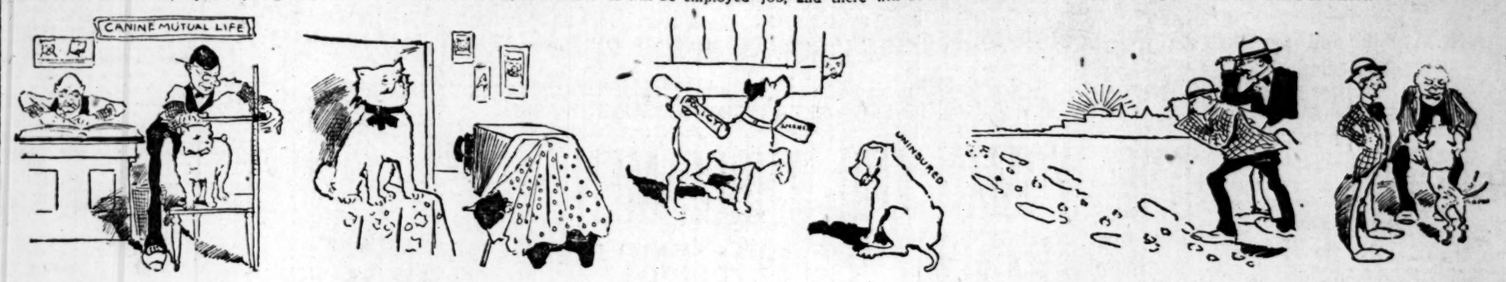
"I regard this affair very much. I have not decided what action I shall take. I am not until after the inquest. Of course, the officers had no right to shoot the fugitives, but from what I can learn it seems to me that Kaenter and his companion acted in a suspicious manner. Had

Gold Found in the Philippine Islands.

On Luzon, one of the Philippine Islands, gold is found in the river beds, but owing to the primitive conditions prevailing there it is not known how rich these deposits are. With the advance of civilization in the Philippines, however, this matter will be fully investigated by shrewd prospectors. Great discoveries may be made, but no discovery was ever greater than Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which civilization long ago investigated and found to be all that is claimed for it. In case of loss of appetite, indigestion, biliousness and constipation it acts in a truly wonderful manner. The bowels are made to act willingly, the desire for food is increased, sour stomachs are sweetened, and a healthy color is given to the face. The Bitters also reach the blood and purify it. A trial is recommended.

FIDO'S GOOD FORTUNE; OR, THE BENEFITS OF CANINE LIFE INSURANCE IN ST. LOUIS.

The Golden Chain Society of St. Louis, which has started a boarding house for lame, abandoned and superannuated cats and dogs, purposes adopting the plan of a New York society, which conducts a canine insurance company. Any dog may be insured for a small fee, and detectives will be employed by the company to see that he does not get into the city dog pound, and that, when lost, he will be returned to his owner. The professional dogcatchers employed by the city will soon be looking for a job, and there will be such happiness in the canine family as was never heard of before.



When we to fads of every kind
For such a time have been inured,
The scheme we surely will not mind
Of having Fido's life insured.

Oh, no—we'll have his picture made,
And put his name upon the list,
So that when stolen, lost or strayed,
It may be known whence he was missed.

Then he, creating such a stir
That all must note his state of glee,
Can look down on the humble cur
Who can't afford a policy.

Detectives on his trail will fly
Whene'er he shows a mind to roam,
And o'er the city, low and high,
Will track him till they chase him home.

O happy Fido, thus to be
Protected from the fiends who hound
Thy pathway, as we daily see,
And yearn to chuck thee in the pound!

OFFICIAL POLICE REPORT.

Col. John W. Campbell, Chief of Police.

Sir—At about 11 yesterday afternoon Private Watchman Thomas H. Camp, who watches in the vicinity of Missouri avenue and Albion place, informed Officers Cremins and Leinert, who are doing special duty in citizens' clothes in that neighborhood, that he had seen two suspicious looking characters in the alley between Jefferson and Missouri avenues and Park and Lafayette avenues, and also that an attempt had been made to burglarize a house in Albion place that afternoon. Determined to investigate the matter, the officers placed themselves at the mouth of the alley where it opens on the north side of Albion place. At about 11:30 two men drove east on above street, going at a rapid rate. They passed the alley and when about 50 feet beyond it turned around in a manner calculated to arouse suspicion. After an interval of about three minutes they drove back toward where the officers were standing. The latter then ran out in front of the wagon and told the men to halt, telling them at the same time that they were officers. One of the men struck at Officer Leinert with a whip and turning the horse east drove rapidly in the direction of Missouri avenue. Officer Leinert then fired one shot. Officer Cremins pursued and attempted to catch the horse as it turned off Albion place on Missouri avenue. Failing to do so he continued the pursuit. When on Missouri avenue, about half way between Lafayette avenue and Albion place, he fired four shots. On Lafayette avenue, near the park station, he overtook the wagon and found that one of the men had been shot. The injured man was taken to the station and an ambulance was called. He was conveyed directly to the City Hospital, but died on the way. Dr. Dean, who pronounced him dead, stated that his death was caused by a bullet, which had entered the back of his head and penetrated the brain. The body was then taken to the Morgue and searched. Six dollars, a handkerchief and some memoranda were found. The deceased was named Frank Kaenter, 24 years old, native of St. Louis, a driver for the Merrill Drug Co., married and residing at 1108 Allen avenue. His companion was Frank Burlen, 1045 Geyer avenue. Burlen, upon being examined, stated that he had gone with the deceased at the request of the latter to make a number of deliveries. Having made their last delivery at Jefferson and Park avenue, they went east to Albion place. There they saw the two officers and determined to go back, thinking that the latter were highwaymen. At that juncture they saw a man go west on Albion place and followed him with the intention of helping him, should he need assistance. When they got opposite the alley the officer sprang out. Burlen and Kaenter then whipped their horses and attempted to escape. The officers fired and at the second shot Kaenter dropped the lines and fell. Burlen did not discover that his companion had been shot till he got to the corner of Missouri and Lafayette avenues. There the officer overtook him and the wounded man was taken into the station. The officers state that they took the two men to be thieves and thought they had brought the wagon for the purpose of taking away stolen goods. Respectfully,

WILLIAM YOUNG,
Captain, Commanding Third District.

they stood their ground and answered the questions put to them by the officers the shooting would not have occurred. However, it is a lamentable case and I propose a careful investigation and I shall act impartially. I simply want to do what is right."

When asked for an opinion as to which one of the officers killed Kaenter, Chief Campbell said: "I have no idea as to that. Burlan says it was the second shot that killed. Only the officers themselves know which one fired the fatal shot, and I doubt if they themselves know."

Kaenter's wife was prostrated by the news of her husband's death, and up to 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon she had not been able to appear at the Morgue. Kaenter left two children, one 4, the other 2 years old. He was boyish looking, with fair hair, light complexion and blue eyes. He wore no beard. There is a most pitiful expression on the face of the corpse.

Frederick Kaenter, druggist, 2900 Morgan street, brother of the deceased, was a caller at the Four Courts Tuesday. He denounced the shooting as an example of criminal carelessness that should be punished. Frank Kaenter had been an employe of the Merrell company for several years and was popular with his employes. He was expecting a promotion within a short time.

DEAD MAN'S BROTHER TALKS.

Frederick Kaenter Will Spend His All Prosecuting the Slayers.

Frederick W. Kaenter, proprietor of a drug store at Vandeventer avenue and West Morgan street, is a brother of the man who was shot and killed by policemen at Missouri avenue and Albion place late Monday night. He declared to a Post-Dispatch reporter Tuesday morning that the killing was a cold-blooded murder. He recited facts and drew conclusions showing that the tragedy was utterly unprovoked.

"Poor Frank," said he trembling with emotion, "went to his death without a word of warning from the reckless men who took his life. It is evident from the officers' own statement that their action was wholly unjustifiable.

"Frank was a city buyer for the J. S. Merrell Drug Co. He usually started to work at 10 o'clock in the morning. In the evening his duties were to deliver goods to the various drug stores on his route. On such trips he generally took with him another man to help him. Seldom did he conclude his day's labor before 10 at night, and not infrequently when he reached home it was midnight.

"He lived at 1108 Allen avenue with his wife and two children, Mary, 4 years old, and Louisa, aged 2. Frank's joy was his family and the few hours his business allowed him with the children were really about the only pleasures he cared for. By his death they are left in almost destitute circumstances.

"Brother was 24 years old and toiled industriously to keep his little home circle happy. I can't recall a day that he missed from work. The wagon he drove was of the regulation express size. On the sides were inscribed in large gilt letters, 'J. S. Merrell Drug Co.' You could not fail to read the letters even in the dark. An electric light shining within 100 yards of the wagon would make the letters shine brightly.

"Shortly before 12 o'clock last night I was notified by a policeman from the Fifth District Station that my brother was dead. I asked him what had happened to Frank, and he said he didn't know. A few minutes later another patrolman came up with the same news. They professed ignorance of the unfortunate affair and directed me to the City Hospital for information. I could learn nothing there, so I went to the Morgue, where I found Frank stretched lifeless on a table. I hurried to the Third District Station to ascertain the particulars of the shooting before passing a hasty opinion. At the station I met Policeman Frederick Cremins, whom I have known for five years. He walked up to where I was standing and grasping my hand said in a nervous tone of voice:

"'Fred, I'm sorry your brother is dead; I didn't know it was he when we fired the shots.'

"'Did you kill my brother?' I asked.

"He replied: 'We're both responsible for the shooting,' at the same time pointing his finger to a policeman near by.

"Father, who accompanied me, was overcome with anger, after hearing Cremins' explanation. He rushed on to the officer, and might have avenged my poor brother's death there and then, but for police interference. After the two were separated the desk sergeant said to Cremins and the other officers: 'Gentlemen, you are in a bad box.'

"Diligent inquiry in the neighborhood where the shooting occurred revealed strong evidence of a heartless deed. I learned that Frank had left Herbert's drug store at Jefferson and Park avenues, and from there started from Alt's stable on Carondelet avenue to put up his team for the night. As he rounded the corner at Missouri and Jefferson avenue, so his companion, Mr. Burlen says, they saw some men sneaking along the sidewalk behind some tree boxes. They drew up their horses, believing the suspicious looking characters were highwaymen.

"As they did so, the men came from their hiding places and walked towards the wagons. Burlen saw them and lashed the horses with his whip. Then the officers without a word drew their pistols and fired deliberately at them.

"The policemen gave them no chance for an explanation. I shall endeavor to secure a warrant charging Cremins and his companion with murder in the first degree. Then, if necessary, I shall spend every cent at my command to see that the proper punishment is meted out to them."

$5.00 Cincinnati and Return. via Vandalia Line, August 13th. Trains leave St. Louis Union Station 1 p. m. and 9 p. m. Through trains, quick time.

MILWAUKEE'S MYSTERY.

Body of the Unknown Woman Buried and Identity Not Revealed.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 9.—The mysterious tragedy which agitated the authorities all of last week, is to-day as much a mystery as it was Tuesday morning, when the waves in Milwaukee bay cast up the corpse of an unknown woman, bound with a chain to which was attached a hitching weight. Every clue has been followed up and run down, and there has not been the slightest bit of evidence obtained. The police have worked day and night in following up the remotest possibilities, but all has come to naught, and to-day it appears that nothing at all can be done until word is received from somewhere about a woman missing.

Every case in this city in which a woman has been reported missing has been investigated and found to have had no connection with the body found on the breakwater.

The body of the unknown has been buried in Potter's field, as there was no need in keeping it longer at the morgue. The remains were past all possible identification. The clothing is still shown to the public in the hope of having it identified. Several young ladies called yesterday. They had missed a friend for six weeks, but the clothing was not such as had been worn by her.

$13.50 to $18.50 Round Trip

To Put-in-Bay and Lake Side, via rail and boat, including five days' board, Aug. 10. Address Miss J. E. Bowles, 416 North Sixth street, or the Clover Leaf Railroad, 506 Olive street.

BIG LOSS AT BISMARCK.

Nearly a Million Dollars' Worth of Property Destroyed by Fire.

BISMARCK, N. D., Aug. 9.—Fire which originated in the office of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company from unknown causes wiped out the business portion of the city of Bismarck last night. The flames destroyed property valued at from $500,000 to $1,000,000. The immense freight warehouse of the railroad company, with tons of inflammable material inside, showered sparks and firebrands for blocks, and soon 50 building in the business portion of the city were ablaze. The fire department was utterly unable to cope with the flames, which leaped across the narrow alley, licking up the Daily Tribune office and the entire block of brick buildings adjoining.

The flames leaped across Main street to the First National Bank building, which, with the exception of all descriptions was soon destroyed. The postoffice, landoffice, surveyor general's office and dozens of small mercantile establishments and 50 residences were soon ablaze. For three hours the flames raged leaving in ruins the main business portion of the city. The insurance may cover half of the losses. All telegraph offices were destroyed, but an office has been improvised in the city park.

ROUGH RIDER'S RECORD.

Roosevelt Says He Is Proud of the Deeds of His Command.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 9.—Theodore Roosevelt gave the following message to the World as the troops embarked:

"We take home a record of which we are proud. We leave behind us three Rough Riders who are too sick to move.

"We had a larger percentage of soldiers killed in battle than the percentage of loss by fever and disease."

ORDER OF ST. GEORGE.

A Big Convention Being Held at Springfield, Ill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 9.—The State convention of the Sons of St. George is being held in this city to-day with about 50 delegates present. The meeting is being held behind closed doors. The morning session was devoted to the reading of the minutes of the last State convention. The officers of the order will be elected this afternoon. The present officers are: Grand president, Charles T. Lacey; Grand vice-president, George Chesters; grand secretary, C. C. Meurisse; grand treasurer, John Thomas.

The convention will be in session for three days.

Wabash Railroad

To Denver and Colorado Springs. Through sleepers, eight hours faster than any other line.

Wanted in New Orleans.

Sidney L. Robertson was arrested at Twenty-third and Olive streets Tuesday by Detective Pat Lally. Chief Desmond had received information from the New Orleans police authorities that Robertson was wanted there on a charge of bigamy.

Reduced one-way rates to the West via Burlington Route.

TO PAY THE SIXTH.—The army paymaster is expected at Camp M. F. Bell and it is said the pays of the Sixth Regiment will be paid Wednesday.

To those living
in malarial districts Tutt's Pills are indispensible, they keep the system in perfect order and are
an absolute cure
for sick headache, indigestion, malaria, torpid liver, constipation and all bilious diseases.
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AT KLONDIKE PARK.

SUCCESS OF THE ENTERTAINMENT BY THE FRIENDS OF SOLDIERS.

CLEVER PERFORMANCE SEEN.

Women's Relief Association Expect to Net Quite a Sum for the Boys in Blue.

The first night of the week's entertainment at Klondike Park by the Woman's Relief Association for the benefit of the First Missouri Volunteers augured well for the success of the enterprise.

The programme was good, the artists were well trained and, best of all, the audience was large.

It was appreciative, too, and not inclined to be critical, thus helping the actors over the rough places that will occur the first night.

There was much disappointment that Miss Essie Boyd did not dance, but her music failed to reach the orchestra, and her "turn" was postponed till Tuesday evening.

Hubert Dobson, a monologue artist, was pleasing with his character portrayals, and Mr. Guy Lindsley's recitations found great favor. Miss May Cook, "the musical sunbeam," was there before a humorous sketch, "Picket Duty," by Messrs. Trabue Pittman and Denny Hickey. George Maguire, dancer and comedian, and clever little Miss Anna Laughlin, the child soubrette, made decided hits.

Trabue Pittman and Dewey Hickey led "a warm exhibition of cake walking," in which the following contested: "Ragtime Jimmie," Warren A. Chandler; and "Ambrolina Snow," Frank A. McEwen; "Zeke Peverly," Lee Hollister, and "Ida Snowflake," L. M. Hammett; "Prince Green," Clinton B. Adams, and "Lindy Scofield," Harry Gayle; "Jimmie Golshaw," J. S. Cabanne, and "Lucy Watermelon," R. C. Carr.

It was a creditable entertainment and one that immensely pleased those who dropped their shekels to the relief of the sick heroes at Chickamauga.

The money obtained by the enterprise will be devoted to two worthy causes. One half is to go into the regimental hospital fund for the purchase of delicacies for the sick in Camp Thomas and the other half to the relief of soldiers' families in distress.

The Relief Association is composed of the patriotic women of St. Louis, regardless of any connection through relative or friend they may have with the regiment.

Its officers are: President, Mrs. Arthur Gale; vice-presidents, Mrs. E. T. Allen, Mrs. E. C. Robbins, Mrs. Edwin Baldorf and Mrs. J. H. Cavender; secretary, Mrs. George Dobson, and treasurer, Mrs. C. W. Barstow.

The organization of the association is strictly military.

It is divided into companies, with captains and lieutenants. Four companies form a battalion, as in "real regiments," but there are no majors. The ranking captain is supposed to direct things in his battalion. Lieutenants will be detailed from companies to act as battalion adjutants.

Monday evening the first two companies A and B of the first battalion, had charge of the entertainment. Tuesday evening it will be C and D's turn, and on down the line, two companies having charge each evening.

Among the ladies interested in the entertainment are:

Mesdames—	Mesdames—
Adolphus Meier,	Andrew Warren,
Fred Charlot,	J. C. Morrall,
Charles Green,	George Wright,
Judge Boud,	R. Graham Frost,
Y. H. Bond,	R. M. Wilson,
E. G. Scudder,	Charles Cabanne,
W. A. Silckney,	W. F. S. Boswell,
James Green,	James Player.

Parker's Headache Powders Are Safe and sure. All druggists, 10c. try them.

ABOUT TOWN.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.—A garbage wagon was overturned on Jefferson avenue at 1 o'clock this morning by collision with a trolley car. Henry Beal, colored, age 16, was on the wagon seat with his father. He was thrown under the heavy truck and his life was crushed out.

SOCIETY HAY RIDE.—A hay ride will be given this evening by the young people in the West End. The pleasure seekers will meet at 8 p. m. at 3955 Page avenue and after a long drive will stop at the Forest Park Cottage for refreshments. The committee in charge is composed of Messrs. Dockery, Kirkwood, Hyde, O'Connor, Volle, Macke.

FOREIGN TRADE.—At a meeting of the Furniture Board of Trade last night, Geo. T. Parker, in the report of the Export Committee, mentioned a number of inquiries received from Hawaii for catalogues of the furniture interests, etc. On account of the shifting of transportation lines consequent on the war, he reported a lively inquiry and an increase of sales with Hayti, Martinique, Nicaragua, Colombia and other South American countries, also an increase of orders from Mexico.

WILLIAM E. BURR.—Another old citizen died yesterday. After a long illness William E. Burr passed away at his home, 3412 Morgan street. One of the sons, Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Burr of the Second United States Engineers, regular army, is now on his way home from Santiago. The deceased leaves also three daughters, all married. Mrs. Burr, their mother, is still living. The grandchildren number 18. William E. Burr was born at Paris, Ky. He came to St. Louis in 1860. He was president of the St. Louis National Bank, organized the St. Louis Clearing-house and was its first president.

ISADOR BUSH'S WILL.—Among the charitable organizations remembered in Isador Bush's will yesterday were: $500 for the Home of the Aged and Infirm Israelites; $500 for the Educational League of Cleveland, O.; $100 for the Jewish Alliance for the benefit of the Jewish emigrants from Russia; $300 for the United Hebrew Relief Association; $200 for the Home of Infirm Israelites; $300 for the Hebrew Industrial School Society of St. Louis; $300 to Dr. Herman Tuholski; $600 to Julius Bien; $500 to Jacob Furth, and $700 to Frank Block. Jacob Furth, Frank Block and Raphael Bush are made executors without bond.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.—The Republican State Convention, to meet Aug. 23, will be held in Music Hall. There will be 1100 delegates. The Committee on Tickets and Badges consists of ex-Congressman William E. Kinsey, Albert Griffin, secretary of the State Committee, and Customs Collector Charles H. Smith. Gen. B. G. Farrar, ex-United States Subtreasurer; George W. Baumhoff and Henry O. Siegmund were appointed a committee to select headquarters for the State Committee and provide for the entertainment of the committeemen. A Union Station Reception Committee was appointed, consisting of E. L. Preetorious, chairman, and the members of the Republican City Central Committee, elected at the city convention last Wednesday.

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LAUGHS FROM THE DAILY NEWS

PUNCH IS COLD IN DEATH,

Mrs. Comfort's Diamond-Wearing Cat Slain by a Tramp Cur.

Mrs. Anita Comfort's diamond-wearing cat is dead. His name was Punch. He was a black cat. He was foully murdered.

The tragedy was not a mercenary one. Punch was not slain for the gems which studded his ears. He was nipped in his

young and luxurious career by a cur, a common stray cur, who smuggled himself into the Comfort home, at 3709 Westminster place.

The cur not only slew Punch, but he almost annihilated Mrs. Comfort's high-bred Scotch collie, and then the murderous outcast attempted to end his miserable career in the porcelain bath tub. The tub was full of water and he jumped in. He refused to be removed from the bath tub until the entire household combined against him.

Punch will be given a funeral of which any man might be proud. The "Diamond-Kat Patrol" will be played with an amended tempo as a dirge.

THIS GOAT DINES ON GLASS.

Mr. Seebold's Family Pet Does a Trick That Loses Him a Home.

John D. Seebold has presented the city with an Angora goat. The Forest Park zoo will hold the hard-headed creature until he butts his way out of a good home, as he did when he lived with Mr. Seebold.

Mr. Seebold, whose residence is at 1701

Cass avenue, was fond of this goat. No other goat in this neighborhood—and goats are plentiful in that part of town—was in the same class with the long-haired Angora. He was treated with the same affection shown members of the family until he became unruly. Kind words were of no avail, and attempted control by force only made him worse. H walked into Mr. Seebold's parlor, ate up a peach blow vase and then wanted to get into the yard.

He wouldn't take the trouble to go out by the door as he came in. He simply butted through a plate glass window. Lest Mr. Seebold should try to patch the window, the goat swallowed the pieces.

SAME OLD THING FOR POLLACK

Venerable Attorney Has Another Bitter Experience With His Housekeeper.

Judge M. E. F. Pollack has had so many housekeepers within the last seven years that he couldn't give their names to save his life unless he looked up the record in a ledger almost as big as a piano box. He

can tell, however, the name of the last one who worked for him. He has reason to remember her. She is Mrs. Mary Le Grand, and she has had him arrested on a charge of assault.

The judge, who is a widower, lives at 6636 Delmar boulevard. He has an office at 211 Chestnut street. Mrs. Le Grand says all manner of hard things about the disposition of the venerable lawyer. In a warrant for his arrest issued Monday afternoon she says the judge jabbed her in the ribs with a poker, spoke to her insultingly, threw her and her luggage out of the house and refused to pay her wages due. She went to work for Judge Pollock a week ago, having answered his advertisement for a housekeeper. Nothing pleased the judge, she says, and so she decided to quit. When she informed the judge of her decision she says he fairly made Rome howl.

The judge admits the story of engaging Mrs. Le Grand in answer to an advertisement, but says she was a failure in the position from the very first day. He says her story of an assault was prompted by a desire to extort money from him and that when he offered her wages for the week she refused to sign a receipt.

The warrant for Judge Pollock's arrest was issued in Clayton, the alleged assault having been committed outside the city limits.

The judge was sued three years ago for back wages due a Mrs. Allen, who was one of his multitude of housekeepers. She was given a judgment.

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Held for Gray's Murder.

At the inquest held over the body of William Gray Tuesday morning a verdict of homicide was found. George Wells was held for the killing. Wells stabbed Gray in a fight in Hop Alley Sunday night.

Cincinnati Excursion, via Vandalia Line, August 13th, $5.00 round trip. Trains leave St. Louis Union Station at 1 p. m. and 9 p. m. Through trains, quick time.

ILLINOIS INCORPORATIONS.

Several New Concerns File Papers at the Capital.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 9.—The following were licensed to incorporate to-day:

Royal Bargain House, Chicago; capital, $2500; mercantiles. Incorporators, W. Knox Haynes, M. Scanlon, W. E. Lindsay.

Bonds and Mortgages, Chicago; capital, $2500; publishing a financial paper. Incorporators, Benjamin Levering, Howard B. Satterlee, N. H. Hanchette.

N. H. Miniter Co., Chicago, certified to an increase in capital stock from $5000 to $10,000.